

THE PUMP SHOP
 "Your Water Specialists"
 25th Anniversary

705-457-2638
 1-888-312-PUMP
 www.thepumpshop.ca

The Haliburton County



ECHO

Winner of the OCNA Award for General Excellence

Proudly serving the Highlands since 1884

\$1.50 incl. GST
 www.haliburtonecho.ca
 Total 40 pages

Publications mail agreement # 40063862

Tuesday, July 3, 2012



Big honour

Bill Beatty given the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal

4



Graduation

Students across the county finish school

10



Quick thinking averts drowning

Darren Lum
 Staff reporter

Every year there are close to 500 drownings in Canada.

Daniel Armstrong, 20, made sure to keep two middle-aged Mississauga men from being another anonymous statistic.

It's taken the humble young man of Cookstown a few days to collect his thoughts and emotions since Monday, June 25.

"It all happened so quickly and, you know, it really takes a few days to recap what happened because at the time I didn't know what happened," he said. "Adrenaline kicks in and you just act."

There was no hesitation when it came time for him to step in.

Armstrong had just returned from Haliburton when he heard the cries for help as he pulled into his parents' driveway at their Eagle Lake cottage. He jumped out of his truck and ran to the dock, untethered the family motorboat and rode it out into the lake. He came upon

see 'I'M SURE' page 16

Raise the flag

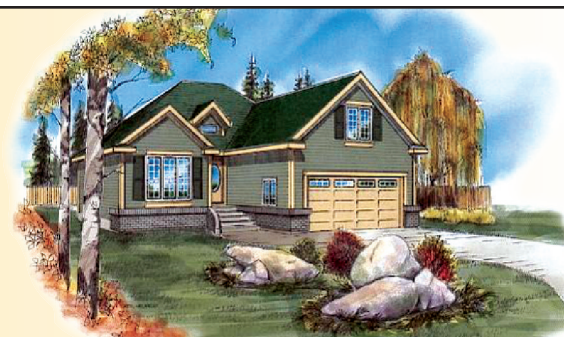
Ella Stamp, 7, and Owen Nicholls, 6, raised the Canadian flag to start the annual West Guilford Canada Day on Sunday, July 1. More on page 3. **Darren Lum** Staff

CERTIFIED HOME & COTTAGE DESIGNERS

1,000's of Home & Cottage Designs Available



EMMERSON LUMBER LTD.



63 Maple Ave., Haliburton • Phone: 705-457-1550 • Fax: 705-457-1520 • www.emmersonlumber.com

Re-opening attracts major attention



Jenn Watt Staff

Ruby Mitchell sits very still while Meryl Hall of Triple I Event Services paints an orange and yellow butterfly on her face. The face painting was part of celebrations at Todd's Independent following a store renovation. Todd's now features Joe Fresh clothing. For more photos go to haliburtonecho.ca.



Jenn Little Special to the Echo

Todd's Independent attracted major attention Friday, June 29 at its re-opening celebration. MP Barry Devolin, MPP Laurie Scott and Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey joined Steve and Michelle Todd in cutting the ribbon.

Stanley Cup coming in August

Darren Lum
Staff reporter

West Guilford's Bernie Nicholls, who was a consultant with the Stanley Cup winning Los Angeles Kings, will have the Stanley Cup on Aug. 1.

The retired NHLer isn't certain how many hours he will have it, but plans to take it to his hunt camp in Haliburton Forest and Wildlife Reserve for a few photos. He plans to

take it close to the canopy, 20 feet high and pose with it in a tree stand.

"It's kind of a passion thing," he said, referring to his love for hunting. "It'll look pretty cool. People take it to a lot of different places."

He hopes to bring it to the Dysart Arena for the public, particularly the children, to see in the afternoon.

Nicholls played a lot of hockey there as a boy. He has spoken to Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey, who was encouraging about accommodating this rare opportunity.

After the win, the Kings asked all the eligible members of the club to provide a two-week window to have the Cup. Family was foremost on Nicholls's mind when he chose.

He asked to have it between July 16 and Aug. 3 to enable his daughter McKenna, 20, an opportunity to share this

Program gets kids out on the water

Officers of the Haliburton Highlands Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police, and the Ministry of Natural Resources will be attending the annual Kids 'n' Cops fishing day on Wednesday, July 4 at 9:30 a.m. at Head Lake Park in Haliburton.

Kids 'n' Cops fishing is an opportunity for selected local children's groups to come out and try fishing with the assistance of community volunteers from the Haliburton Highlands Stewardship Council, the Haliburton Highlands Outdoors Association, Kinark Outdoor Centre, MNR Enforcement and Fire Management Teams and the OPP.

Cops 'n' Kids fishing is a grassroots program that was implemented by the Police Association of Ontario, Bob Izumi, the Canadian Tire Corporation and Fishing Forever.

This program encourages youngsters to go fishing, and provides them with that opportunity.

The Highlands Weekender

July 5, 2012

Turn your radio on to 100.9

The 4th annual Canoe FM Radiothon, in support of volunteer, community radio is once again hitting the airwaves on

Free in your mailbox on Thursday...

This week's Weekender:

- Haliburton must reads
- Celebrate Diamond Jubilee
- Cards scores, bowling scores

Plus Sudoku, crossword, classifieds and coming events.

DISPELLING MEDICAL MYTHS

July 7th 12:00 – 1:00 pm

By Amanda Vollmer BSc., Independent Naturopath

at Marty's Health Foods

13523 Hwy 118 W behind Haliburton Funeral Home

ONLY \$5.00 Space is Limited RSVP 705-457-3216

Storage Unit Rentals

Isaac Brannigan
For more information
Contact Andrea
Phone: (705) 457-9949
or (705) 457-9732 Isaac.

Industrial Park Road. Haliburton

INNOVATIVE CONSTRUCTION

Haliburton County Echo News

Tuesday, July 3, 2012



Assante™
WEALTH MANAGEMENT

*Assante Financial
Management Ltd.*



Gordon Schakelaar
Branch Manager
Senior Financial Planning Advisor

The Village Court
Haliburton, Ontario
T: (705) 457-5145
F: (705) 457-9185
Toll Free: 1-800-891-5713
E-mail: gschakelaar@assante.com



It was red and white with a dash of smiles in the field events such as the potato sack races at the annual West Guilford Canada Day event at their community centre on Sunday, July 1.



Hundreds lined the road, the beach and the docks on Pine Lake to see the West Guilford Canada Day celebration fireworks on Sunday, July 1. It was a colourful, bombastic display of national pride for Canada's 145th birthday.



Clockwise, from centre, Marj Nicholls, this year's Canada Day Citizen, sits with her family, Bernie Nicholls and David, sons, Cooper Kenzis, great grandson, Joel Cooper, grandson, Cheryl Cooper, daughter, Nicole Kenzis, granddaughter, and Erin, son. She wasn't planning to come until her children convinced her otherwise.

Photos by Darren Lum

West Guilford celebrates

Darren Lum
Staff reporter

While wiping away tears, Marjorie Nicholls, 75, struggled to find the words to articulate the honour of being named this year's West Guilford Citizen of the Year.

Better known as Marj, she has lived in West Guilford for more than 50 years and is a humble person who cares for everyone in her community. It's not a shock to get a consoling word or two from Nicholls over the phone when you're sick.

"It's just the way it is here. You do things. I catered at one time [Canada Day] so it's just when you cook you just cook for people. It's an honour. My God I didn't know what was happening," she said.

It was special, she said, having her name added to an elite group that includes recent recipient Kay Morrison, who won the Pioneer Heritage Carol Stamp Citizen Award for Service to the Community last year and presented it to a teary Nicholls.

A dedicated West Guilford citizen, Nicholls was born in Minden and is the oldest daughter of Cecil and Hattie Stamp. She did whatever needed to be done for the small one gas station and one shop-

ping centre community. She is a regular contributor of food to a variety of functions and events from funerals to birthdays and everything in between.

The mother of five – in order of age and the alphabet: Alberta, Bernie (former NHLer and who will bring the Stanley Cup next month), Cheryl, David and Erin, grandmother to 11 and great grandmother to seven – covered her eyes and did everything to shed the limelight. She didn't have a chance, as the applause, like the sun, washed over her.

"Guilford is just the best spot, I'm telling you. Everybody is so caring," she said. "It's just a great community. Everybody is so caring. I don't know what can I say?" she said. "The people. You know your neighbours. You know everyone in this community. It's not like the city where you don't even know your neighbour. If anything happens they're right there. I've lost five brothers and sisters. The caring and support is so good here."

With the exception of Alberta Upton, her oldest daughter in Scarborough, all her children were there. When the competitions were judged and completed Nicholls also took "best pie" out of 19 entries for her raspberry pie.

A fitting ending for a woman who is not shy about being sweet on the place she calls home.

BIA to move forward with expansion

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

The following are brief reports of items discussed at the June 25 meeting of Dysart et al council.

The Haliburton Business Improvement Area has been given council's blessing to expand the boundaries of their organization.

Representing the BIA were chairman Luke Schell and vice-chairman Andy Glecoff, who made a delegation to council with proposed plans of extending boundaries to include businesses beyond Highland Street.

Over the past number of months the BIA has approached businesses within the proposed boundaries in writing outlining the organization's intention to expand, said Schell.

The response has been overwhelming positive, with 89 per cent of affected businesses in favour, said Glecoff.

The new boundaries would encompass

the downtown core, extending to Maple Avenue, Sunnyside Street, Pine Avenue, Mountain Avenue and Cedar Avenue.

At this point the expansion would include 18 new businesses.

Council said they were in support of the plans and hoped to have the changes included in the 2013 budget.

Harcourt playground to be removed

The playground located at the Harcourt Community Centre has failed a recent safety inspection and therefore will be removed.

News of the inspection was delivered by parks and recreation director Ray Miscio, who told council the department was requested to inspect the playground equipment due to reported safety concerns.

The director visited the site twice and was accompanied by a seasonal staff member certified in playground inspection.

Some of the safety concerns include

improper chains on the swings, chunks of asphalt under a swing, missing pieces such as handles and railings, sharp and broken edges and improper baby seats on the swing set.

Miscio expects it will cost about \$15,000 to replace the equipment and he will be applying for grant funding to cover some if not all of the cost.

Haliburton Museum to get new roof

The Haliburton Museum will be paying for a new roof to the tune of \$30,510.

Currently the museum has its original roof in place, which was repaired about 15 years ago by Haliburton Roofing, according to a report from chief executive officer Tamara Wilbee.

Due to age, the roof has acquired a leak that has deteriorated quickly and is in need of a complete replacement based on a recent assessment, according to Wilbee.

"Due to the need to undertake this work immediately to reduce the risk of any fur-

ther property damage, we have contracted with Haliburton Roofing to replace the entire flat roof and its various components," wrote the CAO in her report.

Since the item is not budgeted, the CAO recommended council transfer the funds from reserves.

Council approved the transfer of funds.

Fire department to begin safety campaign

The Dysart fire department will soon be kicking off their annual safety campaign, checking for smoke alarms in homes, cottages, bunkies and trailers.

During the campaign the department will be on the lookout for missing or dismantled smoke alarms, the condition and age of alarms and battery condition.

They will also be checking carbon monoxide alarms and extinguishers.

The campaign will include educating seasonal and non-seasonal residents on the importance of a carbon monoxide alarm and extinguishers in cottage country.

Bill Beatty honoured with Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

Barry Devolin couldn't think of a more deserving individual to be honoured with a Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal than Bill Beatty.

The Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock MP awarded the medal to Beatty during a special presentation on June 25 in Dysart et al council chambers.

The medal marks one of 30 presented by Devolin in honour of Queen Elizabeth II 60 year reign.

The MP said in a riding comprised of 125,000 citizens deciding who is deserving of a medal was not an easy choice.

"There are probably a few hundred people who have made contributions to our community that would be worthy recipients," said Devolin.

To narrow down the field Devolin reflected on attributes possessed by the Queen herself, including her focus on the military.

"Taking a cue from her I wanted to focus on people in the riding who serve those who serve."

Beatty, 79, has a history of caring for those in the Canadian Forces, having once been a member of the Royal Canadian Cadets and Canadian Forces Militia himself.

He has sent care packages to soldiers serving in Afghanistan, including shipments of maple syrup from his own sugar bush.

Beatty has also been an instrumental figure in the Haliburton Canadian Legion branch 129 and in the Cadet Corps in Haliburton.

All these components made Beatty an

easy choice for the medal, said Devolin.

"It is an absolute delight for me to be here today as the MP for Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock ... to present you with the queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal. You are much deserving."

With emotion in his voice, Beatty thanked the MP for the honour.

"I'm a little bit overwhelmed."

Dysart Reeve Murray Fearrey has known Beatty for 45 years and believes Devolin made the right choice.

"Bill has been involved in our community in many ways ... his generosity is amazing. He's just a good person," said Fearrey.

To mark the historic event, 60,000 medals will be presented throughout Canada to deserving individuals through MPs, MPPs, members of the RCMP and other appointed representatives.

Angelica Blenich Staff

Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock MP Barry Devolin, right, pins a Queen's Diamond Jubilee Medal onto the lapel of Haliburton resident William (Bill) Beatty during a special ceremony on June 25.

Beatty was recognized for the kindness and generosity he has shown to members of the Canadian Forces, as well as his years serving with the Canadian Forces Militia and Royal Canadian Air Cadets.





Big win for the Highland Storm

The Highland Storm is the big winner from Canada Bread's contest. Haliburton Foodland was one of the stores running the company's Sidney Crosby promotion and was chosen to award the local hockey organization with \$1,000. Taylor Styles, left, and Brad Park of Haliburton Foodland celebrated the big win on Tuesday, June 26.

Jenn Watt Staff

Freeze Frame!

From May 7 to August 31, 2012*

60\$ OFF any frame¹

40\$ OFF sunglasses²

Haliburton VISION CARE CENTRE

705 457.9500
7217-D, Gelert Road, Haliburton
haliburtonvisioncare.com

* Cannot be combined with any other package, offer or promotion. Not applicable on orders placed before these dates.
¹ Eyeglasses and sunglasses with prescription lenses with anti-reflective coating. ² Regular sunglasses with non-prescription lenses.

Community garden looking for volunteers

The Wilberforce community gardens are hosting a work bee on July 4 in the afternoon and early evening. Those interested in helping out can call the municipality of Highlands East for more information.

The gardens are coming along nicely,

but some community help is needed to finish the job. If you are interested in participating in the gardens the committee would love to hear from you.

Contact the Municipality of Highlands East at 705-448-2981. - Submitted

North American Made

Breezesta

100% Recycled Poly Furniture

The Better Built Furniture

Another Truck Load Just Arrived!

Lifetime Warranty • Fully Assembled

20 Colours Plus
2-Toned Colours Available

<p>Reg. \$319.99</p>	<p>\$199.99</p> <p>YOUR CHOICE OF All in stock BB100 Adirondacks -OR- All in stock Garden Chairs</p>	<p>Reg. \$359.99</p>
<p>Reg. \$349.99 - \$379.99</p>	<p>\$249.99</p> <p>Selected in stock Shoreline Adirondacks</p>	<p>\$259.99</p> <p>Selected in stock Fanback Adirondacks</p> <p>Reg. \$369.99 - \$399.99</p>
<p>Reg. \$409.99</p>	<p>\$299.99</p> <p>YOUR CHOICE OF All Shoreline Rockers -OR- All in stock High Back Rockers</p>	<p>Reg. \$459.99</p>

Northern Expressions

Furniture, Home Decor, Giftware & So Much More!

33 Hops Drive, Haliburton. (In the Beer Store Plaza)
Mon - Sat 10am - 5pm Sun 10am - 4pm
northernexpressions@bellnet.ca

Phone: 705-457-8957 Fax: 705-457-9917

GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE FREE DELIVERY IN HALIBURTON COUNTY

points of view

Kids these days

KIDS THESE DAYS. Most of us are guilty of uttering that phrase at least once or twice.

When we were growing up, adults didn't understand us and now that we're adults we just don't understand what the kids are thinking.

We know it's wrong to lump them all together, but every once in a while that phrase just squeaks out, usually to decry some injustice done.

But perhaps it could come to represent something positive.

Last week, I had the chance to sit in on a couple of elementary school graduations in the county and the dreams of our local students were pleasantly whimsical and refreshing.

At J.D. Hodgson Elementary School, teacher Carolyn Lewis read out the favourite memories and future goals of the students as they crossed the floor to graduate Grade 8.

While some contained the slapstick exploits of being a kid, others were sage and worldly.

What was most striking was the mixture of uncomplicated dreams and unfettered drive to achieve.

"Brenna has many future goals," Lewis read out about Brenna Hie. "She would like to be an artist, vet tech, author, teacher [and] photographer. There are so many things she wants to do in her life. She wants to climb Mount Everest, go to Califor-

nia, have a party in the middle of the woods and grow out her hair. She wants to live life as it was meant to be lived: to the fullest."

Jordan Miscio has his sights set on seeing the world.

"Something that Jordan would like to do more of is to travel. He really enjoys seeing things that he has never seen before in the world. He feels that there is so much out there and most people really only get to see very little of it," Lewis said.

And then there was Chris McKee, who reminisced

about a particularly special moment:

"Chris's favourite memory of JDH was the assembly in which all the Grade 8s did a flash mob [dance]. The performance was in celebration of Ms. [Traci] Hubbert and Chris thought it was cool to see how many people cared that the principal was leaving and that the dance they put on showed their respect for her."

Those are just three of dozens of incredibly thoughtful, ambitious and compassionate messages students chose to have read aloud during last week's ceremony.

Others included becoming a doctor in developing countries, playing hockey on the Canadian women's Olympic team and helping children with special needs.

Kids these days, huh?



Jenn Watt
Editor



Day's end

photo by Jenn Watt

Eat the seasons

AT THIS TIME of year it is so much fun to anticipate and enjoy the foods that come into season. Nothing tastes as good as fresh produce at their peak.

Not only does seasonal food taste good, and have high nutritional value, but there are many other reasons to support this action.

When we eat what is in season it reduces the energy needed to transport food. It supports the local economy and eating seasonally connects with the earth's natural rhythm.

And seasonal food is fresher and tends to be tastier and more nutritious. My husband is a garlic farmer and grows more than 1,000 bulbs every year. Each year at the end of June, little curly shoots (garlic scapes) come sprouting out of the top of our garlic plant, which grow as a curly whimsical stalk and are absolutely beautiful. The garlic scapes are really a gardener's secret – they need to be removed early from the plants in order for the plant to concentrate its energy on growing the bulb and not the flowers and as an added benefit you can cook it and it tastes absolutely delicious!

As far as health benefits go, garlic scapes have many of the same super health-promoting properties that garlic cloves contain. They contain manganese, which keeps your bones strong and healthy and protect cells from free radical damage; vitamin B6 to support your nervous system; vitamin C to boost your immune system and improve iron absorption; and

selenium to reduce joint inflammation. Scapes have a texture somewhere between a green bean and an asparagus stalk, with

a beautiful mild garlic flavour when cooked. They can be eaten raw in pesto, or sautéed for the top of meat or pasta. Scape pesto also makes a great sauce for the base of a pizza! The season for garlic scapes is really short; they are ready now and some are already done. If you are looking for fresh scapes a great place to check out is the farmers' market in Carnarvon! Here is a yummy scape recipe that our family loves.



Lynda Shadbolt
Tales from The Great Green Meadow

Roasted Garlic Scapes and Sundried Tomato Spread

1/2 pound garlic scapes
1 tablespoon grapeseed oil
salt
1/4 cup sundried tomatoes, chopped
1/2 cup feta cheese
1/2 cup walnuts, chopped
pinch of red pepper flakes
1-8 ounce package of cream cheese, softened

1. Preheat oven to 400 degrees F. 2. Toss scapes with grape seed oil and sprinkle with salt. Roast in the oven for about 30 minutes until they begin to caramelize. 3. Place roasted scapes, sundried tomatoes, feta, walnuts and red pepper flakes into a food processor. Pulse until combined but not puréed. Fold into softened cream cheese. A little water or plain yogurt can be used to thin if needed. 4. Serve with crackers, crostini or your favourite vegetable crudité.



JOHN BAUMAN, General Manager,
Digital and Print, ext. 37
john.bauman@sunmedia.ca

JENN WATT, Managing Editor,
ext. 39, jenn.watt@sunmedia.ca

LAURIE CURRY, Accounting/Admin.
ext. 36, laurie.curry@sunmedia.ca

DEBBIE COMER, Circulation,
debbie.comer@sunmedia.ca

CHAD INGRAM, Reporter,
chad.ingram@sunmedia.ca

ANGELICA BLENICH, Reporter,
ext. 40, angelica.blenich@sunmedia.ca

DARREN LUM, Reporter,
ext. 38, darren.lum@sunmedia.ca

TARA O'REILLY, Production Manager

CHRIS CRESWELL, Pre-Press
Coordinator

LAURA SMITH, Sales,
ext. 32, laura.smith@sunmedia.ca

JENNIFER LITTLE, Sales,
ext. 42, jennifer.little@sunmedia.ca

CASSIE THORN, Sales,
cassie.thorn@sunmedia.ca

JEN MCEATHRON, Inside Sales, ext. 33,
jennifer.mceathron@sunmedia.ca

Forever in our memories: Creighton Feir

www.haliburtonecho.ca

146 Highland Street, P.O. Box 360,
Haliburton, ON, K0M 1S0
• 705-457-1037 • Fax 705-457-3275



We acknowledge the financial support of the Government of Canada through the Canada Periodical Fund (CPF) for our publishing activities



Advertising is accepted on condition that, in the event of an error, the portion of the ad occupied by the error, together with reasonable allowance for signature, will not be charged for, but the balance will be paid at the usual rate. It is the responsibility of the advertiser to check their ads on first publication, and the publisher accepts no responsibility for errors in multiple insertions. The Echo reserves the right to reject or edit any advertisement likely to offend community standards and/or the laws of the land. All material herein, including advertising design, is copyrighted, and may not be reproduced in any form.

Submit your letter to the editor by e-mail: editor@haliburtonecho.ca, or mail to or drop by the office at: 146 Highland St., P.O. Box 360, Haliburton, Ontario K0M 1S0, or by faxing to: 705-457-3275. Letters must include name and telephone number. Letters may be edited for length and clarity and must not exceed 400 words.

SUBSCRIPTIONS: Local \$46, Ontario \$49, National \$61 (includes GST).
Subscriptions must be prepaid. Call Debbie @ 705-286-1288

points of view

Loafing around

I'M NOT ONE TO LOOK a gift horse in the mouth, but the truth is I didn't need instruction – despite what the woman at the grocery store thought.

"Sir," she said, "have you ever used an automatic bread slicer before?"

It was like asking Wayne Gretzky if he had ever used a hockey stick – I mean, aside from the fact that he would have said yes.

"How hard can it be?" I asked.

She then pointed to the accompanying instructions and demonstrated how the machine worked on an unsliced loaf I had pulled off the shelf. When she left, it was cut into many perfect, half-inch slices and bagged effortlessly.

I rolled my eyes, as men of questionable mechanical aptitude have done since time immemorial when confronted with anything remotely resembling assistance.

"Like I needed help," I muttered, as that woman walked away.

"Huh?" Jenn said.

"Who needs instructions to slice bread?"

"I bet you'll mess it up, first loaf you try," she said.

Like most women, she hadn't banked on the fact that we men instinctively understand any power tool that uses circular blades or helps make sandwiches. In fact, ever since the first caveman sharpened a throwing axe, we've known that it isn't healthy to try to catch one. Although, to be honest, it probably took us several bad experiences before this registered.

The point was she had thrown down the gauntlet and we men had learned plenty since then. Besides, she had not just doubted me, but also man's natural ability to ignore important instructions. I knew something must be done.

So the next time we were in that grocery store, I very subtly eased us towards a rematch.

"Do we need bread? Huh? Huh? Huh?" I yelped.

"Sure," she said, "but I don't see that helpful woman around so we should probably wait before getting it sliced."

"You don't trust me to do it?" I asked.

"No," she said. "You don't do very well around things that spin quickly or should I remind you about the time you tried to show our dogs how to catch Frisbees?"

"The dentist said it could happen to anyone," I snapped.

"Not on the second visit!" she reminded.

Despite this, I pulled a likely loaf of unsliced bread from the shelf and began that historic, long march towards freedom from ridicule.

As I walked towards that gleaming bread slicer while humming *We Shall Overcome* several downtrodden brothers watched me from adjoining aisles and the meat section. And I knew that for this moment in history, I and I alone carried the hopes and dreams of my kind. I would have smiled but my teeth still ached a bit. As I walked past the discount barbecue sauces with loaf in hand, one old man whispered, "Show them we can do it ... Show them we don't need to listen or read manuals ..." Then he raised a four-fingered fist in solidarity. Soon, I stood in front of the bread-slicing beast. "I have come here," I declared, "to slice bread like a free man – without fear of instruction or demonstration on how to do it correctly!"

Then, as Jenn looked on nervously and my brothers held their breath, I did what has come naturally to my kind ever since the first set of instructions was carved into a stone tablet. Yes, I ignored them completely.

Bread was installed; buttons pushed; blades whirled and gears ratcheted that loaf inexorably onward towards the historic conclusion.

Between you and me, next time I'm getting the pre-sliced.



Steve Galea

Loon Tales



pic of the past

Bailey's Mill, Haliburton. Today, Emmerson Lumber. Submitted by Gail Scott. IF you have a pic of the past you'd like to submit, bring it to the *Echo* at 146 Highland Street.

letters to the editor

Protecting our loons

To the Editor,

We read a concern expressed in last week's *Echo* voiced by the Kashawigamog cottagers' group reflecting an observation about the apparent lack of successful loon hatchings. We live on Pine Lake and this year observed the second hatching in 13 years on this lake. Although we have watched the loons nesting annually in the same area on a nearby point, most attempts end up in failure. The Pine Lake problem is obvious.

Typically the loons nest close to the water's edge in longer grass (watching loons walk on land is painful to see). We have observed this habit every spring as they go about preparing the nest and eventually laying an egg. The mother loon is a fastidious parent sitting for days on the nest. And then, someone decides that the downstream water levels are in need of boosting and two logs are removed from the dams on Redstone and Eagle Lake. It is necessary apparently, to always remove two logs. Pine Lake becomes flooded, including the loon nest and that is the end of that year's nesting.

We read and hear a lot of jabber about the need to protect our natural habitat and our disappearing wildlife. It is particularly ironic then to realize that the greatest and perhaps the only threat to Pine Lake's loon population is entirely man-made resulting from a need to satiate the Trent Canal's sudden appetite for their local water levels.

Terry and Wendy Hicks
Pine Lake

The old maple tree

To the Editor,

Response to Marilyn Frost's letter to the editor June 26.

Yes, it's truly unfortunate about the maple tree in front of the historical Lucas house. First it was the Lucas barn, now the maple tree. If that tree could talk, it would have some stories to tell!

While looking at historical pictures, there used to be a horse race track in behind. Yes, I'm sure that old maple tree has some yarns to weave!

The road is named maple street. I'm not certain but I'm guessing it's because of all the old maple trees that once adorned that roadway.

Well, the barn was the first to go, now the tree. I'm surmising it'll be the old historical Lucas house waiting for the chopping block.

I can only hope that the tree went to a sawmill to become something of use.

Lisa Robertson
Haliburton

Email your letter to the Editor
to jenn.watt@sunmedia.ca

business

Interior designer branches out to the Highlands

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

Angela Clarke loves Haliburton County. So much she is moving her business, Angela Clarke Interiors, which specializes in interior design and home staging, to the Highlands.

Clarke, 47, has been a designer for the past 17 years, working primarily in Toronto.

Since bringing her business to the Highlands, has transformed spaces by incorporating a sense of style and functionality to projects she works on.

"They say 10 per cent of your budget should be for interior decorating but that it makes 90 per cent of the impact," said Clarke.

From picking out flooring and wall colours, to selecting throw pillows and conceptualizing floor plans, Clarke can look at a home or business and create a vision.

"When it comes to decorating a home most people can't see what it could be, so you kind of have to put it together for them 100 per cent," said Clarke.

The designer recently transformed a home in Haliburton, making it a contemporary, functional living space.

Clarke also does home staging, with a variety of furniture pieces clients can choose from to bring a different look to their space.

For more information visit www.angelaclarkeinteriors.com or email angelaclarke@design-flair.com.



Angelica Blenich Staff

Interior designer Angela Clarke rests in a home she recently decorated and designed in Haliburton. Clarke is expanding her business Angela Clarke Interiors to the Highlands.

Painting business brushes up

His paintbrush is ready to roll.

Mark Roberts is introducing his painting expertise to Haliburton County with his business Algonquin Painting,

Career & Business Opportunities



PROGRAM/DATA ASSISTANT POSITION

Cottage Dreams Cancer Recovery Initiative is looking for a Program/Data Assistant. This is a contract position for 10 weeks, 31.5 hrs. per week, \$10.25 pr. hr. The applicant must be between 15 – 30 yrs. old, a registered full time student the preceding year, and intends to return to school on a full time basis in the fall. The ideal candidate will have basic computer skills, good communications skills to deal with the public, and be able to multi-task. A mature, empathetic attitude is a must to interact with cancer survivors.

Email resume to: program.info@cottagedreams.org

established this past spring.

Roberts, 47, first learned about the trade while working at Canadian Tire in the home hardware department.

"Primarily my job was in the paint department," he said. He had his own painting business in Huntsville for 15 years before a sore back forced him to take a break.

In Haliburton for the past six years, Roberts decided now was a good time to get back to doing the thing he loves most: painting. "I enjoy it," he said.

Roberts has also instructed painting courses.

Algonquin Painting specializes in interior and exterior painting for commercial or residential properties. The business is fully insured and the work is warranted.

Roberts provides free written estimates and "calls people back."

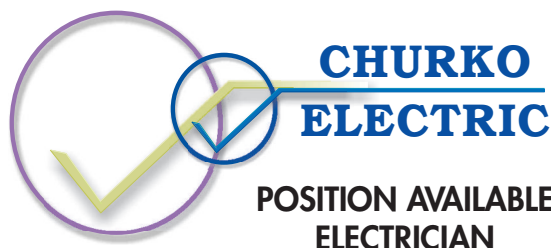
He does painting, staining and pressure washing for any job around the county and recommends regular upkeep to extend the life of your paint job.

For more information visit www.algonquinpainting.com or call 705-306-0664.



Angelica Blenich Staff

Mark Roberts started up his new business, Algonquin Painting, this past spring in Haliburton, specializing in interior and exterior painting.



POSITION AVAILABLE ELECTRICIAN

Terms of Employment: Permanent, full time

Start Date: As soon as possible

Salary: To be negotiated, Group Insurance Benefits

Location: Haliburton, Ontario

Required Credentials: Construction Maintenance Electrician with 309-A certificate. Valid driver's License

Skills Required: Residential, commercial, wiring for new construction, service, maintenance and repairs. Professionalism in customer service, attention to details.

Employer: Churko Electric

By Fax: 705-457-1494 • **By E-Mail:** steve@churkoelectric.com



County of Haliburton

Seasonal Flagperson/Labourer

Please submit a detailed resume indicating your technical and mechanical skills preferably via email, **no later than Monday, July 9th, 2012 at 4:30pm.** to Evelyn Fenwick, Director of Human Resources efenwick@county.haliburton.on.ca
A detailed job ad can be found under News and Public Notices at www.haliburtoncounty.ca

Politicians get prescription for physician recruitment

Chad Ingram
Staff reporter

County councillors got some advice on doctor recruitment last week.

Jim Pine, chief administrative officer for Hastings County, visited councillors at their June 27 meeting.

Hastings County's physician recruitment program has brought 12 practitioners to that municipality in the last six years.

Haliburton County's recruitment efforts have recruited none.

The Hastings program offers med school students a grant of \$150,000 over six years on the condition that once they earn their licence, they practise a minimum of five years somewhere within the county, which borders Haliburton to the east.

The program started in 2006.

At that time, 20,000 of the county's 50,000 residents were without access to a family doctor.

"It's not a traditional business that we're in," Pine said, but added that politicians were getting constant calls about the lack of medical service and that a shortage of doctors was inhibiting the community's ability to attract new businesses. "It was becoming an economic development issue for us."

So the township devised a plan.

Pine said one of the first hurdles was discarding the feeling that rural communities were unattractive destinations for medical professionals.

"That's one of the biggest things wrong with our thinking," he said.

Hastings councillors also agreed they would not poach doctors from other areas and Pine said that total agreement on the plan was a necessity.

"Everyone around the table has to agree and stick to it," he said.

Hastings decided to focus on medical students, from first-years to residents.

It was decided that no matter where they were along this track, they would be given grants of \$150,000 forgivable at \$25,000 per annum, although the municipality was flexible depending on the financial needs of the individual.

"Money talks, if I can be so blunt," Pine said. "It's important to them."

In return, the doctors sign contracts to practise a minimum of five years within the municipality.

"Of course, we hope they stay forever," Pine said.

It looks like that might be the case for a lot of Hastings recruits, many of whom were professionals of one sort or another who turned to medicine as a second career.

Only one of the 12 recruits left before his contract was up and in that case, his hometown, where he was returning to practise, paid back the balance of his grant.

When the program began, Pine was given a budget of \$100,000 for the year.

"I had that budget spent in three months," he said.

This year, Hastings has \$300,000 budgeted for recruitment, \$150,000 in reserves for the purpose and another

\$75,000 set aside for promotion of the program.

Another piece of advice from Pine was to make it easy for potential recruits and give them just one point person to deal with.

In the case of Hastings, Pine has been given complete authority over recruitment, council basically just authorizes the contracts.

It's all about building positive, personal relationships with the physicians, he said.

"It's just the way you've got to do business and it's pretty effective."

Pine said he was happy to share a copy of the contract his government uses with the county.

Hastings also has an insurance policy whereby the township is covered in case any recruited physicians become ill or die.

This way, residents know their investment is being protected.

Pine also said that working closely with area hospitals and doctors had been part of Hastings County's success.

"They're all really supportive of it," he said.

Pine said it was the backing of his municipality's politicians that make the program work.

"It's political support that's going to drive this thing forward," he said.

Haliburton County offers forgivable loans of \$15,000 to physicians who move to the area, but county council will be re-examining its policy.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid has



Chad Ingram Staff

Jim Pine, chief administrative officer for Hastings County, was in Haliburton County council chambers on June 27, sharing tips on physician recruitment with councillors. His municipality's program, which helps pay for doctors' medical schooling in return for service, has attracted a dozen doctors in six years.

expressed disappointment that physicians who come to the area always choose to practise in Dysart et al and suggested last week that incentives should be offered in varying amounts based on location.

THANK YOU!

to our TREASURED Rails End Gallery Volunteers.
Trash N Treasures was a SUCCESS thanks to you!

Tom, Alex, Dakota, Jackie - FOOD TENT
Vicki, Keith - BAR
Maija, Doris - GALLERY GREETERS
Tom, Alex, Dakota - PARK LAYOUT
Gerry - VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR
Sarah - VENDOR GREETER AND PARKING
Karen, Ellen, Dorothy - RAILS END TENT
Sandre, Ellen - ART DEMO HOSTESSES
Jennifer, Terry, Jake, Lia - GLASS BLOWERS
Sandi - APPRAISER
Wayne, Tom - WASTE MANAGEMENT
Karen - ARTIST DEMO
Sue, Vicki, Laurie, Janet, Carol, Tracey (winner!), - BAKERS
Shawn, Sherri, Jenn - TART JUDGES
we think that's everyone!

OUR NEXT BIG EVENT

Haliburton Art & Craft Festival

July 27, 28, 29

To join the Rails End Volunteer TEAM this summer
Call Laurie or Gerry 705-457-2330

RAILS END GALLERY & ARTS CENTRE

We are a not for profit, public art gallery.
FREE admission, donations much appreciated.
705-457-2330 twitter: railsend
pinterest - railsend FB/railsend
in Haliburton's historic railway station

\$349,900

RURAL HOME WITH 24.8 ACRES

- Fireplace, hot tub, 3 bds, 3 baths
- Close 2 Kennisis Redstone launch
- 20 min Haliburton, pool, trails, pond

\$392,900

SUN ALL DAY- BITTER LK GEM

- Almost 2 ac, priv, deep water off dock
- Hot tub/Family Room, FP, 3 walkouts
- Insulated Garage, carport, 15 mins to town

\$449,000

KENNISIS LK - SPECIAL PROPERTY

- 3 Bdrm & den, Lg Kitchen, DR, laundry
- Beautiful rock, Evergreen trees, Priv
- Deep water, dock, enjoy sunsets, majestic!

\$479,000

LOG HOME 2000' GULL RIVER

- 2900 sq 'Rnd pine log, 3 bdrm, 3 bath
- Handicap friendly, boat to 3 lakes
- 25 ac of mixed bush, trails, privacy

\$499,000

LONG LK - 675 FT ON 37.36 ACRES

- Unbelievable Privacy, Hardwood Forest
- 3 bdrm, den, 3 side deck, windows/roof upgrade
- Miles of boating on Long to Miskawbi

\$548,000

LITTLE REDSTONE -3 LAKE CHAIN

- 3 Bdrm, Pine Int, Fireplace, 4 Season, Lg Deck
- W/O from Master & LR, Lots of Flat Play Area
- 150 ft fr, Deep water, West Exp, Sunsets!

Gloria Carmochan
Cindy Munnich

Century 21
GRANITE REALTY GROUP LTD.
Brokerage

Direct
705-754-1932
gloria.carmochan@bellnet.ca • www.gloriaandcindy.com

Toll Free
1-800-203-7471
www.gloriaandcindy.com

COVERING THE HALIBURTON HIGHLANDS
4502 Kennisis Lake Rd, Haliburton ON K0M 1S0

Hawks celebrate end of high school career

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

What does it mean to be a Red Hawk?
For the 2012 graduating students at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School being a hawk is all about being a friend.
That was the message delivered by this year's Grade 12 valedictorian Loretta Kerr and a feeling that was palpable through-

out the school's athletic complex during the commencement ceremony on June 27.
The evening marked the end of four years of high school for the 126 students who received their diplomas.
"No more listening to announcements, no more attendance checks at the door," said vice-principal Irv Sternberg, the news of which was met with cheers from the graduates.

Sternberg encouraged the students to continue staying connected with one another and maintain the friendships they had made over the years.
Trillium Lakelands District School Board trustee and former HHSS principal Gary Brohman advised students to find love in the work they do, no matter what that is.
"Life isn't sexy, it's hard work," he said.
Principal Dan Marsden encouraged

the students to begin a lifelong journey of learning and to stay young in their hearts.
During her valedictorian address, Kerr examined the famous phrase "once a hawk, always a hawk," made popular by Brohman during his tenure at the school.
"Have you ever thought about what that actually means?" asked Kerr.

see ONCE page 11



Graduating students, in no particular order: Kelsey Acorn, Taylor Albert, Blake Aylsworth, Kyle Barlow, Tessa Barnes, Quinton Barry, Maggie Britton, Samantha Brix, Kelsey Brown, Vicky Bukta, Heidi Burk, Keith Burley, Bethalin Callfas, Taylor Cameron, Taelor Campbell, Aaron Carter, Taylor Chambers Crystalee Clarke, Lily Coneybeare, Billy-John Cooper, Randi Cooper, Brady Cowan, Shawn Cox, Julie Crego, John Cross, Colby Cunningham, Kelsey Curry, Teesha Da Nilko, Michael Dack, Brandyn Defoe, Molly-Lyn Dehaan and Logan Deremo.



Graduating students in no particular order: Mallory McEneny, Seth McKnight, Dalton Morrison, Andrew Murray, Myia Newton, Tom Nichol, Ian Pavlinic, Rylie Porter, Ben Pothaar, Lacy Prenger, John Rae, Alex Ratkovic, Nikki Reddering, Shelby Reed, Brooke Reid, Becky Ridsdale, Abby Roberts, Cole Rowden, Jon Salvatori, Brooke Saunders, Quinn Schell, Elaine Searle, Puru Shah, Carley Shaw Christina Shaw, Angelina Sherbakov, Kyle Sherbakov, Denver Smith, Dylan Smith, Lauren Snelgrove, Caleb Snow and Brandon Stephens.



Graduating students in no particular order: Grace Diezel, Marc Dobie, Brady Dodds, Katlyn Doiron, Daniel Donaldson, Lindsay Dunn, Lisa Dunn, Claire Edwards, Grant Ellis, Morgan Everitt, Damon Flatman, Gregory Foster, Marlee Gadway, Carol-Anne Gautreau, Karly Gazley, Thomas Giguere, Brittney Graham, Peter Graham, Dakota Harris-Saxby, Brandon Hayes, Kara Hughes, Ryan Hunter, Reggie Ide, Tessa Iles, Sylvia Jennings, Hailly Johnson-Perrin, Jamie Jones, Shawn Kadwell, Loretta Kerr, Jake Kidd, Amanda Kraft, Joe Kyle, Austin Lloyd Marley MacNamara, Kristina Manas-Chmielowski, Clinton Maxwell, Jillian Mayhew, Nick Mayo and Braedin McConnell.



Graduating students in no particular order: Sara Stephenson, Joel Stevens, Raymond Storie, Barry Stromberg, Karlis Suchovs, Sam Tallman, Courtney Thompson, Molly Thurston, Liz Toth, Dillon Upton, Ty Upton, Amanda Walker, Kanisha White, Cody Whitefield, Nicole Wingrove, Kestrel Woodley, Jenny Woolacott, Beka Wrightman, Jeremiah Wruth, Holly Wu, Brett Yake and Zane Zondervan.

'Once a hawk, always a hawk'

from page 10

The valedictorian believed that being a hawk was all about being a friendly person, a trait that makes HHSS unique amongst the schools in TLDSB.

Reminiscing about her four years at the high school, Kerr said it wasn't until she visited other schools that she realized HHSS was comprised of warm, friendly students.

"I thought everyone was as nice as a red hawk, but I soon realized they're not," said Kerr.

The resilience shown by students at their recent prom, which was dampened by rainy weather, was just one example of how much fun and spunk red hawks have.

They support each other and are genuine, kind people, said Kerr.

"I can honestly say we have the best school in Trillium Lakelands District School Board. I'm positive about that," she said.

It's because of this the four years of high school will be remembered as wonderful years of their lives, said Kerr. "Once a hawk, always a hawk."



Angelica Blenich Staff

Applause was heard throughout the gymnasium at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School following Loretta Kerr's, left, valedictorian address at commencement on June 27.

www.haliburtonecho.ca

CANNING LAKE (CLPOA) 2012 EVENTS

AGM:
SUN. JULY 8TH, 10 AM
1037 Hamlin Lane
(coffee at 9:30 am)

FAMILY FUN DAY:
SAT. AUG. 4TH, 3 PM
Ingoldshy Park

50th Anniversary Celebrations:
SAT. AUG. 25TH 5-8 PM
Sunny Rock B & B
contact Directors for ticket information

TROPHY PROPERTY Corp.

FOR SALE

PO Box 209, 235 Highland St,
TEL 705-457-8899 | FAX 705-457-9141
www.trophypropertycorp.com

Muskoka Haliburton & Toronto Real Estate Board

PETER'S PICK OF THE WEEK

EAGLE LAKE PRIME LOT • \$535,000

PETER BRADY
Broker of Record

EMPLOYMENT SERVICES WILL BE COMING TO MINDEN'S OUTREACH LITERACY OFFICE

(14 IGA Road Minden) on Every 3rd Monday FROM 2-4 PM

WE CAN

- HELP YOU FIND A JOB
- MEET WITH AN EMPLOYMENT COUNSELLOR
- HELP YOU DEVELOP A RESUME (OR UPDATE YOUR CURRENT ONE)

'CALL TO BOOK APPOINTMENT @ 705-454-2020'
WALK IN'S WELCOME

OUTREACH LITERACY WILL BE COMING TO EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

(49 Maple Ave Haliburton) on Every 3rd Tuesday FROM 2-4 PM

WE CAN

- DO ASSESSMENTS
- TALK ABOUT LEARNING
- SUPPORT YOU WITH PRIVATE TUTORING

'CALL TO BOOK APPOINTMENT @ 705-286-3111'
WALK IN'S WELCOME

EMPLOYMENT ONTARIO
Your job is out there. We'll help you find it.

Fleming College
LEARN | BELONG | BECOME

LOOKING FOR A JOB??

The Voice of the Haliburton Highlands



WWW.CANOE.FM.COM - Listen Live

4TH ANNUAL Radiothon

Friday July 6th and Saturday July 7th is our annual fundraiser to support community radio in the Haliburton Highlands! We'll be accepting donations, taking song requests, and accepting donation challenges. 22 Hourly prizes and 5 super auction packages: Home/Cottage Makeover, Outdoor and, Spa Packages, Travel Voucher and Let's Play Ball package Tune in, or visit us .. we want to hear from you.

We are your not-for-profit, community radio station. Our volunteers and staff are dedicated to radio that serves the communities of the Haliburton Highlands



Wilberforce Elementary School celebrates graduates

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

There was a sense of camaraderie and shouts of joy filling the air at the Wilberforce Elementary School graduation ceremony on June 26.

Held at the Lloyd Watson Centre, the ceremony marked the end of elementary school for 11 students, who will be attending high school this fall.

This year's graduates included Susan Cachia, Lloyd Callfas, Cole Finlay, Alexandra French, Samuel Hann-Stevens, Connor Henderson, Jade McCartney, Joseph Podres, Kimberly Rowe, Victor Townsend and Jessie Whitesdale.

Trillium Lakelands District School Board trustee Gary Brohman imparted some sound advice to those graduating, telling them to go for it in high school and never wish time away.

"The key to success is not to skip class, just go to class," said Brohman.

Awards presented to Grade 8 students included: Academic — Alexandra French, Leadership — Samuel Hann-Stevens, Citizenship — Lloyd Callfas, Most Improved — Kimberly Rowe, Athletic — Jade McCartney, Perseverance — Cole Finlay and French — Alexandra French.

New this year was the presentation of the Reeve Bursaries, with four bursaries each valued at \$100.

Presented by Highlands East Deputy-reeve Suzanne Partridge, bursaries were awarded to Alexandra, Samuel, Lloyd and Cole.

During her valedictorian address, Alexandra reminisced about her classmates, using words like kind, funny and caring to describe her peers.

Principal Gord Wood wished all the students much success in the future, whatever that future might look like.

Wood referenced past students who had gone off to

achieve much success, including one who now plays for the National Hockey League.

"These students have followed their dreams. And if any

of you play for the Toronto Maple Leafs one day, don't forget to give me a call," said Wood.



Grade 8 students from Wilberforce Elementary School were handed their diplomas on June 26 at a graduation ceremony held at the Lloyd Watson Centre. Graduates include, front row from left, Kimberly Rowe, Jade McCartney, Alexandra French, Susan Cachia and Samuel Hann-Stevens. Back row from left, Jessie Whiteside, Joseph Podres, Connor Henderson, Cole Finlay and Lloyd Callfas.



Angelica Blenich Staff

Grade 8 students from Wilberforce Elementary School were handed their diplomas and awards on June 26 at a graduation ceremony held at the Lloyd Watson Centre. Award winners in the graduating class include, from left, Kimberly Rowe — Most Improved, Jade McCartney — Athletic, Alexandra French — Academic and French, Samuel Hann-Stevens — Leadership, Cole Finlay — Perseverance and Lloyd Callfas — Citizenship.



PAUL PRICE FORD SALES INC.
BUS. 613-332-3018 FAX 613-332-5365 TOLL FREE 1-800-649-3620
30 HASTINGS STREET NORTH, BOX 994, BANCROFT, ON N0L1C0
PAULPRICEFORD.CA



2011 FORD RANGER SPORT EXT. CAB 4X4
6 cyl., automatic, power windows/locks, trailer tow pkg., 23,800 kms, balance of factory warranty

Only **\$335/month** Tax Included
Selling price \$20949, 4.99%, 84 mos. term., cob \$4434
Stock #A12987



2008 FORD RANGER SPORT EXT. CAB 4X4
6 cyl., automatic, tow pkg, fog lamps, colour matched cap, very clean truck

Only **\$362/month** Tax Included
Selling price \$16949, 4.99%, 60 mos. term., cob \$2534
Stock #A46245

MOOSE FM
HALIBURTON
93.5

MOOSE FM
HALIBURTON
93.5

Your Community. Your Cottage Country Radio Station.

Playing Only the Best music from the 80's, 90's and whatever else.

Weekday contest giveaways, concerts, local news, weather and sports. It's all at 93.5 The Moose.

Follow us on twitter or online at moosefm.com/cfzn

For the latest information, visit us at gmc.gm.ca, drop by your local Pontiac Buick GMC Dealer or call us at 1-800-GM-DRIVE. *Offer applies to the purchase of 2012 GMC (Sierra 1500 LS Ext. Cab 4WD R7B/Terrain SLE FWD R7A). †±0% purchase financing offered by GMCL for 72 months on 2012 GMC (Sierra 1500 LS Ext. Cab 4WD R7B/Terrain SLE FWD R7A). OAC by Ally. Rates from other lenders will vary. Example: \$138.89 for 72 months. Cost of borrowing is \$0. Down payment and/or trade may be required. Monthly/Bi-weekly payment and cost of borrowing will vary depending on amount borrowed and down payment. Bi-weekly payments based on a purchase price of \$29,998/\$32,348/\$29.58 with monthly payment. ♦\$7,500 is a manufacturer to dealer delivery credit (tax exclusive) for 2012 GMC Sierra 1500 Ext. & Crew Cab and is reflected in offers in this advertisement. Other cash credits available on most models. See dealer for details. **Fleet Freight & PDI (\$1,495/\$1,495), registration, air and tire levers and OMVIC fees included. Insurance, GPSA, dealer fees and applicable taxes not included. Offers apply as described to 2012 new or demonstrator models of the vehicle equipped as described. Offers apply to qualified retail customers in the Ontario Pontiac Buick GMC Dealer Marketing Association area only (including Outaouais). Dealers are free to set individual prices, dealer order or trade may be combined with other offers. GMCL may modify extend or terminate offers in whole or in part at any time without notice. Conditions and limitations apply. See dealer for details. ©The Best Buy Seal is a registered Trademark of Consumers Digest Communications, LLC. used under license. Δ2012 GMC Acadia FWD. 2012 GMC Terrain FWD. Fuel consumption ratings based on GM Testing in accordance with approved Transport Canada test methods. Competitive comparison based on 2012 Natural Resources Canada's Fuel Consumption Guide. Your actual fuel consumption may vary. @Bluetooth is a registered trademark of Bluetooth SIG Inc. ◆Comparison based on 2012 Ward's segmentation: Middle/Cross Utility Vehicle and latest competitive data available and based on the maximum legroom available. Excludes other GM brands. ††2012 GMC Sierra 1500 SLE Ext. Cab 4WD with S86. MSRP with freight, PDI & levers \$40,165. 2012 GMC Terrain SLE39. Dealers are free to set individual prices.

GMC

SUMMER
BREAK

0%
FINANCING
FOR UP TO 72 MONTHS ON
SELECT MODELS*

SLE Ext. Cab 4WD with 20-in.
Chrome Clad Aluminum Wheels**

2012 SIERRA EXT. CAB 4x4
NEVADA EDITION

FINANCE

0%
FOR 72 MONTHS AT \$192

BI-WEEKLY DOWN PAYMENT TAXES NOT INCLUDED OFFERS IN DEPENDENT TERRITORIES
DOWN PAYMENT \$5,000 CASH REBATE PURCHASE PRICE \$29,998

- 302 HP Vortec™ V8 • Power Windows, Door Locks and Remote Keyless Entry • Automatic Locking Rear Differential • Trailering Package with Trailer Sway Control

STEP UP TO THE 2012 SIERRA
CREW CAB NEVADA EDITION 4x4

\$15
FOR ONLY MORE
BI-WEEKLY*



SLT-2¹

2012 TERRAIN SLE

FINANCE

0% **72** MONTHS² AT **\$189**

BI-WEEKLY. \$0 DOWN PAYMENT. TAXES NOT INCLUDED.
OFFERS INCLUDE FREIGHT, PDI & LEVIES. PURCHASE PRICE \$29,558*.



- Rear Vision Camera
- 7-in. Touch Screen Display
- Bluetooth[®] with Steering Wheel Controls
- IIHS 2012 Top Safety Pick[®]
- Best-in-Class Rear Seat Legroom⁴

BETTER HIGHWAY FUEL EFFICIENCY THAN CR-V, RAV4 AND ESCAPE HYBRID^Δ

ALL GMC VEHICLES ARE BACKED BY A 5-YEAR/160,000 KM WARRANTY

EXPERIENCE THE INNOVATION AT YOUR GMC DEALER TODAY.

WE ARE PROFESSIONAL GRADE



THE BEST COVERAGE IN CANADA
5 YEARS • POWERTRAIN COMPONENT LIMITED WARRANTY
160,000 KM • ROADSIDE ASSISTANCE
 • COURTESY TRANSPORTATION

VEHICLE PRICING IS NOW EASIER TO UNDERSTAND BECAUSE ALL OUR PRICES INCLUDE FREIGHT, PDI AND MANDATORY GOVERNMENT LEVIES.
Prices do not include applicable taxes and PPSA. Consumers may be required to pay up to \$799 for Dealer fees.***

Visit us at:
BUYGMC.CA

Grads look forward to freedom, eating in the caf

Jenn Watt
Editor

They might only be 13 years old, but students at J.D. Hodgson Elementary School have some big dreams.

As they crossed the auditorium floor June 26 to receive their diplomas, the Grade 8 students' favourite memories and aspirations were read aloud by teacher Carolyn Lewis.

One girl wanted to get her PhD and build hospitals in developing countries.

Another wanted to fly an airplane.

Two students aspired to play women's hockey in the Olympics, while two dreamed of dirt bike racing.

Parents, siblings, grandparents and friends craned their necks and shoved digital cameras into the air hoping for a photo to capture a milestone in their children's lives as they move on to high school.

School board trustee Gary Brohman offered unique perspective on that journey as the former principal of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

"There's nothing to be afraid of," he said, encouraging everyone to get involved whether it be in athletics, arts or academic endeavours.

Valedictorian Brynn Meyers told the audience that the students are indeed nervous about the next big step, but she offered some perspective.

J.D. Hodgson Elementary School was confusing when they first arrived, she said, but they ended up having good times there.

The grads are excited about moving on to a bigger place with more freedom and opportunity, Brynn said, including meeting new people and eating in the cafeteria instead of at their desks in the classroom.

Principal Elaine Fournier rounded off the evening by telling parents she shared their "deep pride and joy" in the students' success.

While the students were graduating from JDHES, she said, it is also a new, exciting, beginning.



Grade 8 graduate Brynn Meyers gives the valedictorian address to a full gymnasium at J.D. Hodgson Elementary School. Brynn reminisced about good times and bad at the school and told the audience the students were looking forward to increased freedom and opportunity at high school.

Jenn Watt Staff

Students head out of the gymnasium following the graduation ceremony at J.D. Hodgson Elementary School on June 26. The Grade 8 students will now move on to Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.



Award winners

Academic Excellence: Paiten-Abbey Smolen, Julia McEathron, Cody Williams

Outstanding Distinction: Tori Hawley, Cassandra Johannessen

Citizenship: Ainsley Little, Taylor Morrison, Eliza Christie

Principal's Leadership Award: Tori Hawley

Environmental Leadership Award: Jordan Miscio

Leadership: Kristen Adams, Taylor Morrison

Athlete of the Year: Brynn Meyers, Ryan Hill

Visual Arts: Natalie Griffin, Willow Hutchings, Eliza Christie

Drama: Brenna Hie, Eliza Christie, Sydney Cameron

English: Mika Titze, Julia McEathron, Tori Hawley

French: Terri Dobbins, Tori Hawley, Taylor Morrison

Geography: Cody Williams, Mika Titze, Julia McEath-

ron

History: Ryan Hill, Kelsey Maracle, Tori Hawley

Math: Cassandra Johannessen, Cody Williams, McKay Coneybeare

Music: Taylor Morrison, Cassandra Varty, Ainsley Little

Physical Education: Ryan Hill, Sydney Cameron, Kelsey Maracle

Science: Paiten Smolen, Terri Dobbins, Julia McEathron

Dance: Kristen Adams, Brynn Meyers, Christine Bishop

Grade 8 Grads

Devon Bangay, Adam Bird*, Jalen Campbell*, Charles Cary, Regan Casey, Joseph Davis, Sydney Feir*, Tara Graham, Jayden Gwyn*, Morgan Hamilton, Tori Hawley*, Brandon Higgins, Trevor Hobden, Willow Hutch-

ings, Riley Lamshead*, Taylor Lewis, Julia McEathron*, Austin McKay, Brenden McKee, Sam McKnight*, Christopher Miscio, Kelly Routcliffe, Caleb Schmidt, Colt Taylor, Cassie Varty*, Cody Williams*, Jaden Wilson, Heather Zahn, Tyler Baux, Loren Bridgman*, Mckinnon Casey, Eliza Christie*, Corey Gonyea, Brenna Hie, Christopher McKee, Reid Medley, Carter Mintz, Jordan Miscio, Taylor Morrison*, Robert Nicholls, Lee Robertson, Damara Scott, Makenna Smith*, Kimberly Warnica, Kristen Adams, Christine Bishop*, Amy Black, Sydney Cameron, McKay Coneybeare, Terri Dobbins*, Ryan Edwards, Ryan Hill, Natalie Griffin, Cassandra Johannessen*, Kyle Lavergne, Ainsley Little, Kelsey Maracle*, Emilie McGill Rouleau, Brynn Meyers*, Joseph Patrick, Paiten-Abbey Smolen*, Christina Stephen, Brooke Stevenson, Cassandra Stoughton, Mika Titze*, Drew Vanlieshout, Douglas Wood

* Denotes an honours student

JDH students recognized in awards ceremony

Photos by Jenn Little
Special to the Echo



J.D. Hodgson Elementary School intermediate school letter winners were awarded at a ceremony on June 25. From left, Tori Hawley, Ainsley Little and Brooke Stevenson. Absent, Mika Titze and Cassandra Johannessen.



Back row from left, the Grade 8 subject award winners, Sydney Cameron, Cassandra Johannessen, Paiten-Abbey Smolen, Taylor Morrison, Cassie Varty, Natalie Griffin, Willow Hutchings, Kelsey Maracle, Cody Williams. Bottom row from left, Brooke Stevenson, Terri Dobbins, Ainsley Little, Eliza Christie, Julia McEathron, Tori Hawley and Brenna Hie.

AUGUST LONG WEEKEND YARD SALES

AUGUST LONG WEEKEND YARD
SALE FEATURE
AD DEADLINE IS July 25th
BY NOON.



Place your Business card size
Yard Sale Ad in the Haliburton
Echo or The Minden Times
for only \$15+hst
or place your ad
for ONE LOW COST
in BOTH of our papers for \$30+hst,
Cost includes 2 free signs. Please note payment is
required up front.

For more information
CALL 705-457-1037 x 33 • 705-286-1288
jennifer.mceathron@sunmedia.ca

Long Weekend Yard Sale Booking Form

Name: _____
Address: _____

Telephone: (705) _____
Email address: _____

Rate: \$15 + hst= \$16.95 or \$30.00 + hst = \$33.90

Method of Payment: Cash____ Debit (Echo office Only)____ Credit card ____

Publication: Haliburton Echo____ Minden Times____

Ad information

Location: _____

Date(s): _____

Time: _____

Items or additional information: _____

- 1) _____
- 2) _____
- 3) _____
- 4) _____

GEORGE'S

Servicing
All Makes & Models

auto

2007 NISSAN X TRAIL

Bonavista, Edition 97,000 kms.,

\$12,900



2007 HYUNDAI

Extra clean, 117,000 kms.,

\$15,500

SOLD



2008 NISSAN ROGUE SL

AWD, leather, sunroof, immaculate

\$14,995



2008 FORD ESCAPE XLT

4WD, mint, 94,000 kms.,

\$14,700



2006 DODGE RAM 4X4

Reg. cab, 8 Ft Box, 95,000kms.

\$10,900



2008 NISSAN VERSA

4 DOOR, 4 CYL., AUTO, 65,000 KMS.,

\$9,995



2005 CHEV UPLANDER

Ext. van, 7 passenger, 110,000 kms.,

\$6,995



2008 CHEV IMPALA

Black, 67,000 kms.

\$9,995



2009 CHEV SILVERADO

Ext. Cab 4X4, 100,000 kms., mint

\$18,500



Most vehicles include a 6 mon. 6,000 km Lubrico Powertrain Warranty.
Corner of Hwy 21 & Industrial Park Road

705-457-1717



'I'm sure he didn't think twice to run down there and do what he had to do'

from page 1

the two nearly drowning, fully clothed men without lifejackets in the centre of the bay closest to the public beach.

He moved his boat closer then dove off the back and grabbed the younger man by his shirt and pulled him up and into the back of the boat.

Then, once he ensured the man was breathing, Armstrong leapt in again to get the other one, who stayed afloat a few more crucial seconds following advice to float on his back.

Armstrong took both of them to shore and attended to them, ensuring they were OK until emergency services crews arrived. (They were delayed momentarily when the original caller cancelled the call, seeing the three on shore.)

From his discussion with the two after the near-death incident, Armstrong said they were attempting to

swim the sinking canoe with the preschool girl (one of the men's daughter), who was wearing a lifejacket.

The pair underestimated the distance and soon became exhausted, letting her swim to shore.

The men thanked him a few days later.

"It was quite something to shake the guy's hand ... he was going down. He was almost done," Armstrong said.

Armstrong's father Bob was proud, but not surprised by his son's heroism.

"That's the kind of kid he is. I'm sure he didn't think twice to run down there and do what he had to do," he said.

His son, Bob adds, learned to swim in the river by their last cottage in Severn Bridge "as soon as he could walk"

The family moved here five years ago to be closer to Sir Sam's Ski and



It was quite something to shake the guy's hand ... He was almost done.

— Daniel Armstrong

Bike centre.

Armstrong said besides CPR and first aid, which he knows for work, he doesn't have lifeguard skills.

The Eagle Lake cottager did not categorize himself as a hero and said he didn't intend to be one, it just turned out that way.

Conspiracy coming to Haliburton Sculpture Forest

On Monday, July 9 at 4:30 p.m. the Haliburton Sculpture Forest will be celebrating the installation of a new

sculpture titled "A Conspiracy of Ravens" created by Canadian artist John McKinnon.

The public is invited to a reception in the Sculpture Forest and the unveiling of the sculpture.

This event will be followed a talk by the artist about his work and the creation of the "conspiracy" in the Great Hall of the Haliburton campus of Fleming College.

The commissioning and installation of "A Conspiracy of Ravens" has been made possible through a generous donation from Noreen Blake, who has been spending her summers in the Haliburton area with her family for over 60 years.

Blake has always taken an interest in the art scene in the Highlands and for a number of years served as a tour guide for the Sculpture Forest.

She was inspired by the donations of sculptures by other community members and decided it was her turn.

She proposed a sculpture competition with the theme "Avian Fauna" (birds of the region). Fifty-five artists from five provinces and two states submitted 60 proposals.

The jury had their work cut out whittling this number down to seven and then Blake made the final selection.

"We are delighted to have a sculpture by John McKinnon in the collection," said Barb Bolin, chairwoman of the board of directors of the Haliburton Sculpture Forest.

To learn more about the Haliburton Sculpture Forest visit www.haliburtonsculptureforest.ca.

the Cottage Kit



A great alternative to managing LANDFILL CARDS at rental properties

If you rent your cottage on a weekly basis, you know the hassles of trying to manage your landfill cards. There is now a **convenient, affordable, simple solution** that your renters will appreciate as much as you will...

The Cottage Kit contains everything a person or family renting a cottage needs in order to manage their garbage and recycling for a week—recycling and landfill info, recycling & garbage bags, plus a **one-time Landfill Pass** that eliminates the need for a landfill card. No more having to back-track to the cottage to leave the landfill card for the next renters. That means more time to enjoy the cottage!

Available for purchase — \$3 each or ten for \$25 — at the following locations:



Township of Algonquin Highlands
Municipal offices & landfill sites
705-489-2379
www.algonquinhighlands.ca



Municipality of Dysart et al
Municipal office & landfill sites
705-457-1740
www.dysartetal.ca



Municipality of Highlands East
Municipal offices
613-339-2442
www.highlandseast.ca

Space provided through a partnership between industry and Ontario municipalities to support waste diversion programs.

Volunteers thanked at general meeting

Chad Ingram
Staff reporter

If Community Care Haliburton County was to pay all its volunteers minimum wage for the work they do, it would cost the organization \$250,000 a year.

Luckily for the organization's clients, these folks give their time out of the goodness of their hearts.

Volunteers were thanked at Community Care's annual general meeting at the Stanhope Firefighters Community Centre on June 27.

"People reach their medical appointments, people get their meals," said Brigitte Gebauer. "Our volunteers do all of this with a smile and genuine concern."

This year's Volunteer of the Year was Frank Thom, who, along with performing regular volunteer duties, acts as the organization's PR man, contributing to its newsletter and photographs its events.

"I do this because I enjoy doing it and I like all the people," Thom said as he accepted his gift.

Volunteers put in an average of 180 hours a year.

2012 is a year of change for Community Care.

The Central East Ontario Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) recently announced the creation of the Haliburton County Integration Planning Team, which will bring together healthcare providers in the area including Community Care, Haliburton Highlands Health Services, SIRCH Community Services, the Central East Community Care Access Centre and the Haliburton Highlands Family Health Team.

Just how this integrated service model will work is not yet clear.

"If we're not happy, we should stand up and say something about it," said outgoing board member Dick Charron, who received a certificate of appreciation from board president Jeanne Anthon.

Charron, who is moving out of the area, will continue with the organization in an advisory role.

Outgoing director Roxanne Casey was also thanked for her years of service.

"Always, always remember clients first," Casey said as she accepted her certificate.

Board member Gerald Rome was honoured for his 20 years of activity and said he watched the organization grow substantially in that time.

"The people in the county really know who we are now," he said.

New board members were appointed and a motion was passed to increase the size of the board to a minimum of 11 and maximum of 15 members.

There are currently 12 directors on the board.

Executive director Maureen Trimble thanked staff members and Hank DeBruin and Tanya McCready-DeBruin were the guest speakers for the afternoon, talking about their experience at the Iditarod.

For more information about Community Care Haliburton County, visit www.communitycarehaliburton.com.

Chad Ingram Staff

Right, outgoing Community Care Haliburton County board member Dick Charron says a few words after being presented with a certificate of appreciation by board president Jeanne Anthon.



Chad Ingram Staff

Community Care board of directors president Jeanne Anthon, left, recognizes employee Brigitte Gebauer for her hard work during the organization's annual general meeting in Stanhope on June 27.



Smart & Carefree Shared Cottage Ownership!

- Great opportunity to own on Lake Kashagawigamog!
- Beautifully furnished 3 bedroom waterfront cottage.
- Immediate Occupancy!

Call to arrange a tour this weekend: 1-888-456-4788

sharedcottageownership.com

Poppa's
Self Storage
85 Industrial Park Road, Haliburton

Reasonable Rates • Brand New Facility



457-1081

visit our new website
for more photos
www.haliburtonecho.ca

Health critic MP visits Haliburton

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

Hedy Fry wants to see a revolution take place in Canada.

A Liberal member of Parliament for Vancouver Centre, Fry visited Haliburton on June 25 with an impassioned speech.

"I'm not going to sell you a bill of goods," Fry said during her informal talk held at Pinestone Resort.

First elected into the House of Commons in 1993, Fry has seen many leaders at the helm of Canada, now under Conservative Prime Minister Stephen Harper.

"We are at a precarious time," she said.

Born in Trinidad and Tobago, Fry, 70, immigrated to Canada after medical training at the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

Canada's proud history of multiculturalism and opportunity is what attracted many people like Fry to the country.

"This is a nation built of people from all over the globe. Many of us came here because we believed we could have a better life."

Canada offered a diverse, accepting culture that allowed you to be yourself. Even though it was a small country it had an impact on the world, said Fry.

"We were the little nation that could."

But this has changed, she said.

"We are no longer the peacemakers. We've become a distinct nation ... I no longer want to be considered a Canadian," she said.

Growing up, Fry lived in social housing with parents who saved their money to



Angelica Blenich Staff

Vancouver Member of Parliament Hedy Fry spoke at the Pinestone Resort on June 25 about what it means to be Canadian.

buy a home, only to forfeit their savings for their daughter's education.

The MP studied hard and worked towards making a better life for herself, seeing opportunities in both Europe and Canada.

A fan of Pierre Elliot Trudeau, Fry believed the former prime minister had a vision for a just society and she wanted to be a part of that.

"I came to Canada because I believed

no one should have to make the choice between a roof over their head and their child's education," she said.

A Liberal politician for the past 20 years, Fry believes the party is not so much a family but rather a movement.

Under a Liberal government achievements, such as the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms have happened, said Fry.

These days Canada is under a right-

winged, ideological government that is "not a progressive conservative government," according to the politician.

Ashamed of Canada on the international stage, the MP pointed to recent changes to employment insurance as just one example of developments that are hurting Canada.

"Seasonal workers are being penalized, which is a problem for a community like yours," said Fry.

Fry has also witnessed changes to the Environmental Protection Act, with the current government reducing its budget significantly.

Comparing the actions to a developing nation, the MP believed Canada was taking many steps backwards.

"I watch everything we've built be gutted ... unravel beneath us."

Perhaps most frustrating is Fry's belief that Canada is no longer a democratic nation, as the opportunity to challenge the current majority government seems to be vanishing.

"I watch Conservative MPs high-five each other in the House of Commons. Never before has a government been this arrogant, even under Brian Mulroney."

While many Canadians are trying to make ends meet during a time when the economy is down, the government is counting on the public's lack of attention, said Fry.

Wanting to see a progressive movement take shape, the MP encouraged those in attendance to hold their local MP accountable.

"It's time for us Canadians to stand up and take back our country."

Rotary Club continues to support Incubator program

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

For the second year in a row the Haliburton Rotary Club is showing it believes in the Haliburton Creative Business Incubator.

The club supported the program by being its platinum sponsor for the 2012/2013 year, donating \$4,500 to the Incubator.

Through the Haliburton County Development Corporation, the HCBI program develops local entrepreneurs and businesses throughout the Highlands through mentoring initiatives.

It is this investment in the future of Haliburton County that the Rotary Club believes in, according to Mike Jaycock, manager of the HCBI.

Members like George Kadoke and Hugh Nichol have even dedicated their time to the program by becoming mentors to those currently working out of the Incubator.

"If we can give good advice at the right time, it can make a world of difference to a business person who is working alone,

working so very hard to get to the next level," said Nichol in a press release.

For more information on the HCBI contact Jaycock at 705-754-9996 or hcbi@bell.net.

Angelica Blenich Staff

Haliburton Creative Business Incubator committee chairwoman Barb Bolin, left, accepts a \$4,500 cheque from Haliburton Rotary Club members George Kadoke, centre, Brian Nash and Andrew Hodgson at the corner of Highland Street and Maple Avenue in Haliburton on June 28. Presented in a red camaro convertible, the club's draw vehicle for this year, the funds mark the second year in a row the club has been the platinum sponsor of the Incubator.





Scary stuff

Doug Pugh, as otherworldly lumberjack/poet James Huntington Smythe, tells a crowd about the spirits who lurk in the Heritage House Cafe building during a Ghost Walk in Haliburton Village on June 25. The Ghost Walks in Minden have become so popular that Conjurors of County Town have decided to expand the event to Haliburton. The Haliburton Ghost Walks will commence each Monday and Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Heritage House Cafe.

Chad Ingram Staff

STUDENTS LOOKING TO ENHANCE YOUR SKILLS?

VCCS Employment Services has a great line up of workshops for July and August being held at the Fleming CREW Employment Centre at 49 Maple Avenue in Haliburton.

- Smart Serve July 4th and August 1st (a \$25.00 fee applies)
- Resume Writing July 26th and August 9th
- Interview Preparation July 11th and August 9th
- Orientation to the Workplace July 17th
- Job Search Strategies July 24th

Call VCCS today to register at (705) 328-0180 or toll free (855) 825-0180 or email studentjobs@careerservices.org. You can also drop into the Fleming CREW Employment Centre to register for any workshop.



VCCS Employment Services
Whitney Town Centre,
370 Kent St. W., Lindsay
705-328-0180 www.careerservices.org



SUMMER'S HERE...HAVE FUN!

Did you know that this Weekly Community Newspaper can also be delivered to your city address? Keeping you informed about your Local News & Events Call Debbie at 705-286-1288

SUBSCRIBE TODAY !

OR fill out this form and mail it along with your payment to:
or The Haliburton Echo P.O. Box 360, Haliburton Ontario, K0M 1S0
The Minden Times, Box 97, Minden, K0M 2K0
or email to debbie.comer@sunmedia.ca

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

PAYMENT

☐ Cheque Card#: _____
☐ Visa Expiry: _____
☐ Mastercard

LOCAL Within the County
☐ 12 months @ \$46.00
(GST included)

OUTSIDE THE COUNTY
☐ 12 months @ \$49.00
(GST included)

NATIONAL Outside Ontario
☐ 12 months @ \$61.00
(GST included)

Welcome Home!



ENHANCED FEATURES AND NAVIGATION



INTERACTIVE MOSAIC VIEW

- HOT TOPICS
- VIDEOS
- PHOTO GALLERIES
- RELATED CONTENT LINKS
- ARCHIVES
- CONTESTS
- RESPONSIVE DESIGN

SOCIAL INTERACTION



ANYTIME, ANYWHERE...

Visit our mobile site featuring the very latest in responsive design for the ultimate experience on tablets and mobile devices.

UR A CONTRIBUTOR



Join Your Community Today!

CONTRIBUTE | COMMENT | REVIEW | DISCUSS | INTERACT | SHARE



A WWWINNER!

Be a part of the news and events that shape your community. Sign up is free and easy. Simply register in UR Haliburton for a chance to win a Kobo Touch™ 6" eReader with Wi-Fi. Visit HaliburtonEcho.ca/URaWinner today!

Your community lives on our new website.



The Haliburton County Echo
The New Home for Your Community

PRINT • ONLINE • MOBILE

Province downloads water source protection

Chad Ingram
Staff reporter

The following are brief reports of items discussed at the June 27 meeting of County Council

Planner Jane Tousaw told councillors the province is backing away from the water source protection process it has been implementing over the past few years and on which it has spent millions of dollars.

"The municipal working group was really alarmed," Tousaw told councillors. The process has involved ongoing consultation with municipal representatives from throughout the province.

It appears that the cost for implementation of source protection programming could fall to local conservation authorities and governments.

Tousaw said chairpersons from the municipal working group will be meeting with representatives of the Ministry of Environment to discuss the issue.

County says no to rental supplement, social services van program

Councillors rebuffed a request from the Kawartha Lakes Haliburton Housing Corporation to provide rental supplements on 12 units in the affordable housing complex to be constructed on County Road 21 for a cost of \$24,000 for 2013 and for two units at 19 Higgins Court at \$14,000.

"This, to me, is a 30-year commitment that goes up with inflation," said Dysart et al Reeve and County Warden Murray Fearrey, adding that it hadn't been made clear from the beginning the county would be

expected to provide rental supplements on the County Road 21 building.

The county has already put \$190,000 into that project.

"What CKL isn't saying is they get money from the province, but they've used it all in the City of Kawartha Lakes," said Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid.

Councillors also turned down a request to look at purchasing new social services van.

A van, initially funded through Ontario Works, that was used by the county and the City of Kawartha Lakes for years is no longer available.

Kawartha Lakes phased out its use of the van and Ontario Works is no longer funding the project.

The costs, which a staff report said were not included in the county budget, would be \$50,000 for a new van and an estimated \$35,000 a year for operating costs.

No thanks on TSW study

Councillors voted against participating in an economic impact study with the City of Kawartha Lakes, Trent Hills and the City of Quinte West on the changes to the Trent Severn Waterway after receiving a letter from the mayors of those three communities.

The leaders were also looking for a financial contribution to the study of up to \$10,000.

While Haliburton County contains feeder lakes for the canal, county political representatives have not been invited to recent stakeholder meetings on the upcoming operation changes to the canal.

"I'm not sure what we hope to get out this," Fearrey said.

Algonquin Highlands Reeve Carol Mof-

fatt reiterated that the county had largely been left out of the consultation process so far.

"They don't know we exist . . . they don't care that we exist," she said.

County accepts initial report on new EMS base/fire hall

Councillors received a report from architect Ron Awde on the proposed joint EMS base/ fire hall between Haliburton County and Minden Hills to be constructed on the old Walker's Auto Repair property on Highway 35 in Minden.

The report contained a number of options for the location of the building, which would be constructed on either parts one and two or part three of the divided property, but did provide an indication as to what location would be preferable and what portion of the property would remain for the county to sell.

Minden Hills Reeve Barb Reid said she wasn't convinced the report was acceptable until it contained that information.

"What can we sell?" Reid asked.

Chief administrative officer Jim Wilson said that hydro-geological and geo-technical studies the county and Minden Hills are undertaking on the property would provide the answer to that.

The Ministry of Environment has granted permission for water and sewer conduits to be extended to the site.

The building will be using the Minden Hills system.

EMS goes paperless

The county's EMS department has gone

paperless.

As of Wednesday morning, the department was using a digital reporting system, which director Pat Kennedy said would dramatically improve efficiency.

It is also converting to a new ambulance data system, with county councillors approving an agreement with the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care.

"It's supposed to go live within the next few weeks," Kennedy said, adding the new technology would track ambulance activity more accurately.

Under the old system, 80 calls missed being counted in the first four months of the year.

The change won't cost the county anything.

More news from Kennedy was that the county finally received notification from the province that it will be maintaining 50 per cent funding of the county's land ambulance costs for 2012.

The county has been waiting for that announcement for months.

County demography will continue to age

Planner Jane Tousaw told councillors that projections are Haliburton County's population will hit 20,000 in 2031, following a one per cent growth trend.

It is also expected that the number of senior citizens will increase by 83 per cent in that time.

"That will create challenges for serving the municipalities," Tousaw said.

Fearrey, who sources agree is no spring chicken, quipped that she would have to update him in the afterlife.



Historical restoration

Dave Gajdosik of Heritage Metal Restoration sprays paint on the Haliburton locomotive out front of the high school football field June 27. The Rotary Club is paying to have the historic piece restored by the company and Kashaga Paint Design.

Jenn Watt Staff



Drew Bishop**
457-2128 x 23



Dagmar Boettcher**
489-9968



Janice Brookes *
457-2128 x 22



Gloria Carnochan* & Cindy Muenzel*
754-1932



Mark Dennys *
457-2128 x 30



Deborah Deremo**
457-2128 x 58



Tom Ecclestone *
286-2138 x 26



Tom Gardner *
286-2138 x 30



Lee Gauthier **
489-9968



Ed Gibbons *
286-2138 x 28



John Hincks **
286-2138 x 50



Andrew Hodgson**
286-2138 x 29



Percy Lake \$399,999

- Fantastic log frame home/cottage
- 1.76 acres with a big lake view
- Huge stone f/p, recently renovated kitchen
- W/O to front deck. Cozy open concept.

Drew Bishop 457-2128 x 23



Cranberry Lake Home \$399,000

- 235 ft ftg with 2400 sq. ft. home & sand entry
- 3+1 bedrooms and finished basement
- Large entertaining deck and screened porch
- 24x56 heated/insulated garage; in-floor hoist

Dagmar Boettcher 489-9968



Skyline Haliburton Lot \$39,900

- Level well treed lot - Great Value!
- 428 feet frontage w/electricity at road
- Close to Haliburton & Amenities
- Complete Privacy - Building Lot - RU1

Janice Brookes 457-2128 x 22



Little Redstone \$548,000

- Fantastic 3 Lake Chain
- 3 Bdrm, Pine Int, Fireplace, 4 Season, Lg Deck
- W/O from Master & LR, Lots of Flat Play Area
- 150 ft fr, Deep water, West Exp, Sunsets!

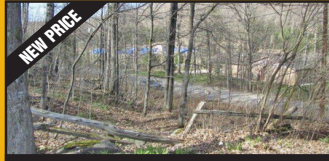
Gloria Carnochan & Cindy Muenzel 754-1932



Minden Investment Opportunity \$337,500

- Excellent Commercial Location!
- Investment Opportunity; Growing Community
- High Traffic corner; Bobcaygeon/Newcastle St.
- 2 Commercial units & 1 large Residential unit
- Town water and sewer

Mark Dennys 457-2128 x 30



Privacy and a View! \$22,500

- Located in an area of finer homes and cottages,
- Lake access adjacent to lot
- 5-Lake Kashagawigamog chain
- Close to amenities, area attractions and golf courses.

Deborah Deremo 457-2128 x 58



Moore Lake Vacation Home \$799,900

- Very special direct waterfront property
- Energy efficient, dryland boat house
- Gradual sand beach, incredible finishings
- Surprise yourself!

Tom Ecclestone 286-2138 x 26



Brick Bungalow \$179,000

- Lovely raised bungalow with walk-out bsmt
- Located just 5 minutes from Minden
- Screened room, propane fireplace, hardwood floors
- Recent oil furnace, tank and shingles.

Tom Gardner 286-2138 x 30



Yr Round Pine Lake \$315,000

- 960 sq. ft 3 BR 1 bath yr round cottage
- 1 acre flat lot with lots of room for kids
- ICF 4 ft crawl with drilled well and UV
- Shallow sand entry on 3 lake chain

Lee Gauthier 489-9968



Beautiful Riverfront Home \$279,000

- Original hardwood floors
- Many recent renovations
- Big back yard
- Walk to all amenities

Ed Gibbons 286-2138 x 28



5 Lake Kashagawigamog Chain \$365,000

- 254 ft. frontage, well treed, great privacy
- Gently sloping lot, miles of boating
- Super location, minutes to town
- Old log cottage with lots of charm

John Hincks 286-2138 x 50



Kashagawigamog Lake \$599,000

- Recently renovated century farmhouse
- 3 acres & 330' of ftg & southern view
- Part of a 5 lake, 17 mile chain
- Close to Haliburton Village.

Andrew Hodgson 457-2128 x 55



Miskwabi Lake \$399,900

- Charming 3BR chalet on beautiful Miskwabi Lake.
- Very private, level lot, 192' shoreline
- Immaculate cottage, lots of upgrades.
- Miles of boating, year round municipal road.

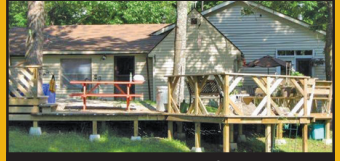
Susanne James & Andy Mosher 457-2128 x 33



Haliburton Bungalow \$279,900

- Open concept living/dining/kit 2 baths
- 3 + BRs, flat fr yrd., sledding hill in back
- Full finished bsmt with a bright walk out
- Family neighbourhood & att'd garage

Denise LeBlanc 286-2138 x 23



4 Season Cottage \$269,000

- Spacious and comfortable
- Recently updated interior
- Very private: new garage; bunkie
- Next to 3000 acres of Crown Land

David Lee 286-2138 x 27



Bat Lake \$749,900

- 4300 Sq. ft. executive home 3 Km from Minden.
- 96 acres with waterfront access to Bat Lake.
- Barn, Sugar Shack, Chicken coup, Wood shed.
- Total privacy; ATV trails, canoeing and fishing.

Gary Moffatt 457-2128 x 36



Family Home \$234,900

- 3 bdr home on level lot
- 2 car garage
- Full partial finished basement
- Great location

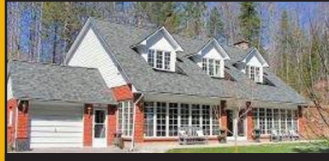
Erin Nicholls 457-2128 x 34



Walk to Miskwabi Lake \$95,000

- Relax in a country getaway!
- Open concept interior & 3 Brs
- Pretty view & walk out to deck
- Separate 600 sq ft Studio or Bunkie

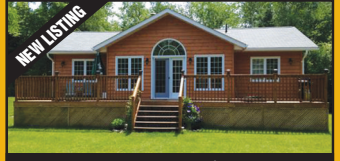
Karen Nimigon 457-2128 x 29



Welcome Home to Soyars Lake! \$669,000

- 285' of shoreline, level lot, sandy frontage
- Huge lake view, easy year round access
- 4 bedroom, 3 bath home with 2 fireplaces
- Attached garage and boathouse

Dawn Poissant 457-2128 x 31



Absolutely Turnkey \$289,000

- Year round cottage/home on Irondale River
- 3 bed, 1 bath completed in 2011
- Open concept, hardwood/ceramic flooring
- Full deck front, large, level & landscaped yard

Greg Stamp 457-2128 x 28



Redstone Lake Masterpiece \$1,349,000

- 183' sand frontage, very level lot
- 4 bedroom and 3 1/2 bath cottage
- Custom design, quality throughout
- Amazing features must be seen!

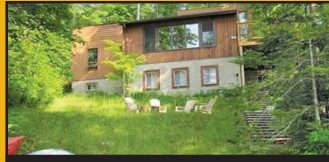
Kim Stamp 457-2128 x 24



Large Acreage \$68,500

- Scenic 23-acres with rock outcroppings
- Adjoining the Jimmy Cooper Lookout Trail
- Fronting on North Shore & Mifflin Rds.
- Several lakes nearby. Great location!

Elizabeth Thompson 457-2128 x 52



Bird Lake \$389,500

- Immaculate 3 bedroom; full fin bsmt
- 178' frontage with great privacy
- Sandy beach and south exposure
- Turn-key property. A must see!

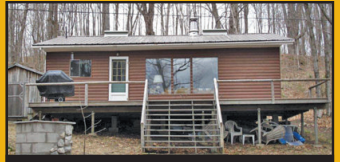
Wilfred VanLieshout - 457-2128 x 27



Family Home in Minden \$234,000

- 3 Bedroom, 3 Bath Bungalow
- Full Walk-Out Basement, Dbl. Att'd Garage
- Hardwood Floors, Ensuite, c/air, c/vac
- Sunroom with Propane Fireplace

Melanie Vigrass 286-2138 x 32



South Lake \$239,900

- When a cottage is a cottage!
- 3 bedroom cottage on 100' lot
- Year round access,
- Close to amenities of Minden

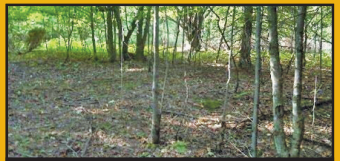
Tom Wilkinson 286-2138 x 25



Pine Lake \$374,900

- Private 3 bedroom on 1.04 acres.
- Level lot, deck, gazebo
- Eat in kitchen, granite, MF laundry
- Full unfinished bsmt.

Andrea Wilson 457-2128 x 25



1.85 Acre Chalet Lot \$37,900

- Area of custom-built homes & cottages
- Year round access close to Eagle Lake
- Near skiing, public beach & boat launch
- Services at lot line

Dawn Poissant 457-2128 x 31

• Haliburton (705) 457-2128
• Minden (705) 286-2138

• Carnarvon (705) 489-9968
• Kennisis/Redstone (705) 754-1932

• www.century21granite.com
• info@century21granite.com



Denise LeBlanc*
286-2138 x 23



David Lee *
286-2138 x 27



Gary Moffatt*
457-2128 x 36



Susanne James* & Andy Mosher**
457-2128 x 33



Erin Nicholls*
457-2128 x 34



Karen Nimigon**
457-2128 x 29



Dawn Poissant*
457-2128 x 31



Greg Stamp *
457-2128 x 28



Kim Stamp **
457-2128 x 24



Elizabeth Thompson *
457-2128 x 52



Wilfred VanLieshout**
457-2128 x 27



Melanie Vigrass*
286-2138 x 32



Tom Wilkinson **
286-2138 x 25



Andrea Wilson**
457-2128 x 25

Well water samples should be tested at least three times a year: health unit

Valerie Macdonald
QMI Agency

At least three times every year, including springtime in particular, well owners should test their well water for bacteria, according to provincial data supplied by the local health unit.

A recent change in the reporting required is to record the time of day the well sample is taken.

Samples should also be taken if there is a change in the

water's taste, odour or colour, after significant plumbing work, or if problems are suspected.

Free water testing bottles are available at the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit and samples are transported daily from the health unit (Monday through Friday by 10:30 a.m.) to the provincial laboratory in Peterborough for testing.

Testing is done to measure the ongoing safety of your water, states health unit literature, and is not a substitute for medical evaluations if you are sick or for fixing a faulty system.

"The sample will not be tested if the [accompanying] data sheet is not filled in ... and will not be tested if it is more than 48 hours old," the literature also advises.

The results of testing at the lab can be obtained over the telephone after three business days using identification from a bar code on your plastic test bottle or by choosing to have the results mailed to you.

The results are not obtained from the local health unit but it is made aware if there are drinking water problems within its jurisdiction.



ROYAL LEPAGE

LAKEs of HALIBURTON

BROKERAGE



Haliburton

(705) 457-2414

(800) 457-2414

Minden

(705) 286-1234

(877) 286-3334

 <p>STORMY LAKE \$309,000</p> <p>NEW PRICE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • four season enjoyment • cathedral ceiling – open concept • gorgeous beach • three season bunkie (sleeps a lot) • natural lot – very low maintenance <p>LINDSAY ELDER**</p>	 <p>BOBCAYGEON ROAD \$115,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over 10 acres – • backing onto Crown Land • Fabulous hunt camp or get-away property • Drilled well and septic • Interior can be finished to your taste • Year round road <p>LINDSAY ELDER**</p>	 <p>PINE LAKE \$449,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 125 feet sand beach, 1.3 acre lot • 3+2 bdrm renovated year round home/cottage • Fully equipped winterized bunkie • 3 bay detached garage • Cozy Family Room, walkouts to decks <p>SUSAN JOHNSON*</p>	 <p>VACANT 9.92 ACRES \$49,900</p> <p>Close to Town</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • mix of soft and hardwood trees • many ideal building locations • year round access • rough in driveway with culverts installed • hydro and telephone at road <p>SUSAN JOHNSON*</p>	 <p>HALLS LAKE \$469,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 season cottage – 250 frontage • point lot natural rock shoreline • clean & deep lake • cottage sits close to the water's edge • waterfront bunkie <p>CATHY BAIN*</p>	 <p>STORMY LAKE \$449,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 season cottage/home – totally renovated • open concept, sunroom, family room • completely winterized 2 bedroom • double lot with 212 frontage • 18 x 14 bunkie & 24 x 12 boathouse & garage <p>CATHY BAIN*</p>
 <p>HALIBURTON LAKE \$249,000</p> <p>PRICED TO SELL!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 157 ft of sand & rock shoreline • 3 bedroom, open concept • new dock & woodstove • completely furnished • turn key ready to enjoy <p>DAN ROXBOROUGH*</p>	 <p>NESBITT ROAD \$29,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 acre, level, well treed building lot • close to Minden & golf courses • municipal, quiet dead end road • dug well, hydro at the road • great spot for your dream home <p>DAN ROXBOROUGH*</p>	 <p>DRAG LAKE \$459,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 bedrooms • detached 2 car garage • extensive decking and docking • natural shoreline • deep water • 3.39 acres & 187 frontage <p>LARRY HUSSEY*</p>	 <p>COLEMAN LAKE \$249,500</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 bedrooms • quiet motor restricted lake • private waterfront – gradual entry, sand bottom • out building could easily be a bunkie • year round road • close to amenities <p>LARRY HUSSEY*</p>	 <p>HUNTER CREEK ROAD \$314,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • well maintained Royal Home • 2+1 bedrooms, drilled well • 2,100 sq. ft. of living space • attached 2 car garage/heated coat/boot rm • rec room, built-in bar & dance floor • recent upgrades <p>HAL JOHNSON**</p>	 <p>SALERNO LAKE \$469,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • open concept living/dining & kitchen • 5 bedrooms for family & friends • year round private lot • exceptionally well maintained cottage/home <p>HAL JOHNSON**</p>
 <p>WALKERS LAKE \$299,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • acreage on water • 4 bedroom - 2,500 sq ft, w/o basement • 3.56 acres, 1,600 frontage • east, south & west exposures • stone fireplace, 1.5 detached garage, steel roof <p>CHRIS & MICHELLE SMOLARZ*</p>	 <p>IRON LAKE ACREAGE \$130,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 ac, Managed Forest Plan, mature pine plantation • gated entry to a cleared area where a log cabin used to be • well treed, maple sugar bush stand • extensive frontage on Iron Lake • acreage backs onto hundreds of ac of crown land <p>CHRIS & MICHELLE SMOLARZ*</p>	 <p>GREAT STARTER \$139,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 bedroom 1.5 bath, 1500 sq ft • close to Sir Sams Ski Hill • many recent upgrades • year round municipal access • close to public beach <p>CHRIS JAMES*</p>	 <p>CENTURY OLD SCHOOL HOUSE \$174,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • open concept living/kitchen area • high 12 ft ceilings, large loft area • great spot for home business • heated 2 car garage with office • working bell tower – charm! <p>MARCIA BELL*</p>	 <p>CUSTOM BUILT HOME \$584,900</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over 2,400 sq ft luxury living • 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths • 3 walkouts to covered deck • ac, jacuzzi, hardwood floors • RV/5th wheel hook up ready <p>ANTHONY vanLIESHOUT***</p>	 <p>GREAT VALUE \$489,000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 2450 sq ft • 385 feet frontage, 1.83 acres • hardwood floors, open concept • great swimming & boating • excellent year round retreat <p>LORRI ROBERTS*</p>



Cathy Bain*
286-1234 ext.224



Lindsay Elder**
286-1234 ext. 223



Chris James*
457-2414 ext. 25



Hal Johnson **
286-1234 ext.229



Chris & Michelle Smolarz*
457-2414 ext. 22



Larry Hussey*
457-2414 ext.23



Dan Roxborough*
705 286-1234



Lori Roberts*
457-2414 ext.43



Marcia Bell*
457-2414 ext.27



Susan Johnson *
457-2414 ext.44



Anthony vanLieshout***
457-2414 ext.27

*Sales Representative **Broker ***Broker of Record

www.royallepagelakesofhaliburton.ca



Colours in the Storm

The entire 11-member cast sings in *Colours in the Storm: a gallery of scenes and songs on the life of Tom Thomson* being staged by the Highlands Summer Festival at the Northern Lights Performing Arts Pavilion in Haliburton daily until Friday, July 13. Shows are at 8 p.m. Tickets and information can be found calling 457-9933 or at www.highlandssummerfestival.on.ca.



Rachel Brittain, as Winnie Trainor, sings in *Colours in the Storm: a gallery of scenes and songs on the life of Tom Thomson*.
Darren Lum Staff

Adult education class celebrates graduation

McKecks hosts group of grads who beat the odds to get their high school diplomas

On Tuesday, June 26, 21 graduates of the Haliburton Adult Education and Training Centre crossed the restaurant floor at McKecks restaurant to receive their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).

For the past several years the Haliburton AETC has operated out of the old Victoria School in the Haliburton Village.

Recently, this building has been declared "prohibitive to repair" and placed on the real estate market.

The school will be moving to the former Haliburton board office on the Haliburton family of schools campus.

School and board staff are busy making preparations for the move, which is slated to take place as early as this coming September.

"I am confident that the move to a new location will work well for our students and our staff," stated director of education, Larry Hope.

"There will be a few details that will need to be ironed out, as there always are when there is a move. The school has a small student population which allows for a family-type atmosphere – and like a family, I know they will all work together to ensure that the transfer operates as smoothly as possible."

Many graduations have been taking

“

I am always so pleased when I hear about our AETC graduates.

— Board chairwoman
Karen Round

place across Trillium Lakelands District School Board this week – from Grade 6 students moving to Central Senior in Lindsay, Grade 8 students graduating to start high school, to hundreds of youth finishing secondary school to embark on their next adventure into the world of work or post-secondary education.

All these ceremonies are heart-warming and fill students, parents, and staff alike with a huge sense of accomplishment and pride.

The school board runs six alternative education schools (called AETCs) throughout the district. Each AETC has held graduations this year with over 200 students receiving their OSSD across the district.

These graduates hold a soft spot in the hearts of educators.

These students have risen above the odds and worked in spite of often numer-

ous challenges to accomplish their goal – an OSSD.

"We are incredibly proud of all our graduates," said school board chairwoman Karen Round.

"I am always so pleased when I hear about our AETC graduates. I know many of them have had huge obstacles to overcome. Their perseverance and hard work to accomplish their OSSD will put them in good stead for their future careers."

Meet the graduates

Haliburton AETC valedictorian Chris Anderson graduated from the centre after five years.

Anderson came to the school after he had injured his shoulder, bringing his carpentry job to a halt.

He had been working in the carpentry industry since he was 15 years old and did not complete his secondary school education.

This summer Anderson plans to get his AZ licence through a six-week course.

Anderson was anxious for the ceremony to commence, anticipating the speech he was about to give, but his nerves didn't get the best of him.

The audience was captivated by his heartfelt words and humour.

Anderson was also the recipient of the Principal's Award.

Jeremy Hewson decided to go back

to school to earn his OSSD after years of working two, even three jobs, and realized that "you cannot find good employment without Grade 12."

After two years at the Haliburton AETC, Jeremy's goal is to continue his education in the PSW program and work for Community Living.

Hewson is feeling good about earning his OSSD.

After he finished his final class earlier in the day, he took his son to a teddy bear picnic then rushed back to McKecks for his graduation ceremony.

Gravenhurst AETC graduate Alyssa Sommerville returned for the ceremony in Haliburton where she started her journey, to graduate with her friends.

Sommerville has sent in her application to Georgian College for a fall start in nursing.

After four years at the Haliburton AETC and recently the Gravenhurst AETC, and working every minute of her spare time, Sommerville says "it took a while" but she's "very excited" to be graduating.

Ashley Mann graduates after two years at the Haliburton AETC and is grateful for the accommodating schedules the AETCs offer.

She is excited to be graduating, and plans to go to college in the future for PSW, but right now she is more excited to be a mom to her two-month-old son.

— Submitted by Trillium Lakelands District School Board

Tim Hortons proposes new site design to council

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

In an effort to meet municipal regulations at a lower cost, Tim Hortons is pitching a new site design for a proposed restaurant on County Road 21.

During a delegation to council at their June 25 meeting, Tim Hortons representatives Leo Palozzi and Joe Kappel discussed issues with the previous draft site design, including a required setback that would cost the corporation hundreds of thousands of dollars.

"We're not willing to do this," said Palozzi.

Instead, the company is suggesting moving the building back, thus reducing the number of parking spots and their size.

The municipal bylaw includes zone provisions to permit the building to be located at 8.3 metres from the front lot line as opposed to the required 13.5 metres and 24 metres from the centre line of County Road 21 as opposed to the required 28.5 metres, according to municipal planner Pat Martin's report.

The municipal bylaw requires there to be 28 parking spaces at the restaurant's location. If changes are approved the new site

design would include around 30 spaces.

"We always meet bylaws and usually exceed them," said Palozzi.

According to Palozzi, a large number of Tim Hortons business in the area is drive-through customers, with about 60 per cent of patrons using the drive-through.

A traffic report conducted by the county says road improvements including road widening, a right-hand turn lane, a left-hand turn lane and paved shoulder, are needed.

The county will be requesting to enter into a site plan agreement with Tim Hortons, which will require the developer pays for the improvements.

An engineer with Tim Hortons, Kappel said he has seen the traffic report conducted by the county and, although he has only looked at it briefly, doesn't agree with many of the items that are required.

"TDL [Tim Hortons] doesn't have a bottomless pit of money," said Kappel.

The corporation has completed its own study and there is a difference between a need and a want, said Kappel.

"There is only so much money TDL is willing to put into a development," he said.

Council gave Palozzi direction to keep the setback relatively the same and reduce the size of the parking spots to 2.75 metres.



Chad Ingram Staff

Representatives from Tim Hortons presented a revised draft site design to Dysart council on June 25. The corporation is looking to build a restaurant on County Road 21 just outside Haliburton Village.

The corporation is to return with a revised site design to be presented to council in the coming weeks.

The alternative site design will be peer reviewed by AECOM, according to Martin's report.

The property in question is still awaiting rezoning from suburban residential to

highway commercial.

Council has supported the zoning amendment but has yet to officially change the classification.

The property is designated highway commercial according to the Dysart official plan.

Scott preparing for possible MNR office closures

Jenn Watt
Editor

Local Conservative MPP Laurie Scott says she's readying herself for office closures and layoffs within the Ministry of Natural Resources.

A recently leaked transcript from the deputy minister revealed the MNR is planning to become "a smaller organization with fewer people ... operating in fewer places."

The document also references office and facility closures in a move "toward more regional rather than local service delivery."

Scott said the document reiterates what she's already been hearing from the provincial government: major reductions across the board.

"They've overspent and now they're in a bind," said Scott, who is also the Opposition critic for the MNR.

"I would suspect smaller offices would be considered. It's hard because you don't know, really, and staff don't know either. They won't know anything until September," Scott said in an interview.

"I think we're going to have to get ready for that possibility [of office closures]."

In this area, Minden hosts one district MNR office, while Bancroft has another.

The regional office is in Peterborough. Scott said she hasn't heard much from staff about the employment limbo they've been in for the past several months as the Liberal government debates where cuts should be.

The deputy minister's transcript says the ministry must find savings of \$70 million or "10 per cent of our current base budget."

Scott expects some savings will come from outsourcing, which she isn't against.

"We're always concerned that the min-

istry has oversight if we're going to outsource some services. You have to make sure there's oversight," she said, pointing to the spending scandal with Ornge and the recent outsourcing of hunting and fishing licences to Tennessee.

"If they're going to do ... outsourcing you have to be careful what you're giving away," she said.

The rest of the savings will come from layoffs.

"Over the three-year timeframe of our transformation plan, about 550 MNR staff will become eligible to retire," the minister's speech reads.

"We know we will not be able to achieve the necessary reductions through vacancies and retirements alone. Unfortunately, there will be terminations affecting permanent and seasonal staff," it says.

It has been widely speculated that the Stewardship Councils may lose funding for their co-ordinators.

In the transcript, the minister notes there will be a reducing in stewardship funding.

"I think those programs were very good and successful," Scott said.

With minimal expense, Stewardship Council co-ordinators bring together local volunteers to improve the environment and educate the public.

Ultimately, Scott said she agreed that the government has to reduce the deficit, which she pointed out is the third largest budget item for the province.



Viceroy

Homes and Cottages

Independently Distributed by

ALGONQUIN PROJECTS LIMITED

Serving Haliburton Highlands & Muskoka Cottage Country

12197 Hwy 35 Minden 705-286-6730

1053 Main Street Dorset 705-766-9604

1-888-842-3769

algonquinprojects.com



1-705-457-1710 | 13588 HWY 118 West

REVOLUTION THURSDAYS

Karaoke 8-11pm

DJ STUBS

spinning till 2am

Live Bands

Every

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

stubs Revelry Co. PRODUCTION STAG SHOP Ommmmh

School's out for summer

Photos by Angelica Blenich



Grade 3 students at Stuart Baker Elementary School hold their diplomas with pride while parents and staff applaud during the annual clap-out procession on June 27, the last day of school. The tradition marks the graduation of Grade 3 students from the primary school, who are heading off to J.D. Hodgson Elementary School in the fall.



Grade 3 students at Stuart Baker Elementary School head to the gym at the end of the day on June 27, the last day of school.

Home & Cottage Services

WE HAVE
INSURANCE
TO LIFT YOUR BUILDING



G. Rowden Building

Specializing in

- Cottage Lifting • Basements
 - Perimeter Walls • Concrete Slabs
- (705) 457-2168**



EMMERSON LUMBER

63 Maple Ave., Haliburton

Phone: 705-457-1550 Fax: 705-457-1520

Out of Town Customers Call 1-888-339-3325

email: information@emersonlumber.com • www.emersonlumber.com



MAHAFFY UPHOLSTERY

Over 50 Years Experience

PHONE AL

AT BUSINESS - 705-754-0170

AFTER HOURS - 705-754-9685

Quality Lawn Care & Property Maintenance

Rod Boughner
705-448-9714
rod.boughner@gmail.com



J&K Hearn

705-754-9657

Drywall
Boarding • Taping
Hand Textured Ceilings
Water Damage • Prime & Paint

James & Kelly Hearn, R.R. #1, Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0

Ed Muenzel

Fine Interiors & Custom Woodworking

Fine Trim • Cabinetry • Mantles
Stair & Railing

705-457-9874



Residential • Commercial

1-877-735-1856

info@blackrocklandscapes.ca www.blackrocklandscapes.ca



blackrock
landscapes

RR#2 Loon Lake,
Haliburton, Ont.

K0M1S0 Canada

tel : 705-457-4574

fax : 705-457-5031

toll free: 1-877-353-3313

don woudstra concept • design • construction



CONCRETE SLABS | BLOCK & ICF FOUNDATIONS | FOOTINGS

Derek Rowden

OWNER

dandkmasonry@msn.com

p 705.754.0466

f 705.754.0566

FREE ESTIMATES • QUALITY WORKMANSHIP • FULLY INSURED

Trough Man
\$4.00 /Foot
INSTALLED
5" Seamless Eavestrough
www.troughman.ca
705-454-2627
Cell: 705-344-2627
Toll Free: 1-877-660-2627

Were Back!
RYAN REED

Specializing In:

Bi-Weekly Lawn Cutting
Cottage Maintenance
Removal of Medium Trees
and Debris

705-455-7983

Summer & Fall
Clean-ups!

Garden
Mulching

HIGHLAND FOREST PRODUCTS



**2827 Loop Rd.
Wilberforce**

hfpwood@hotmail.com

(705) 457-3192

www.hfpwood.com

Stuart Baker Elementary School recognizes volunteer of the year

Angelica Blenich
Staff reporter

Andrea Borysiuk's eyes were filled with tears. When Marie Watson was given the Stuart Baker Elementary School volunteer award in honour of Crystal Bain, emotions ran high. The award was presented to Watson on June 27 by Bain's children Tannis and Trevin Bain-Gross during the school's final assembly. Marking the end of her first year as principal at SBES, Borysiuk thanked the many people who make the school function throughout the year. "We are the envy of the board for the number of volunteers we have," she said. Trillium Lakelands District School Board trustee Gary Brohman thanked all the volunteers for their time, adding they "make a heck of a difference." Students opened and closed the assembly with a singing performance.

Home & Cottage Services

PETRINI
CONSTRUCTION
VINYL & ALUMINUM SIDING

SOFFIT • FASCIA • ROOFING
DOORS & WINDOWS
5" SEAMLESS EAVESTROUGH
GUTTER PROTECTION SYSTEMS

 HALIBURTON COUNTY
HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION
Serving Haliburton County since 1978

Nathan Petrini **705-457-2754**
www.petriniconstruction.com **1-877-PETRINI (738-7464)**

Randy's
TREE CARE & LANDSCAPING

Flagstone Patios • Rock Stairs
Retaining Rock Walls
Lot Clearing • Danger Trees
Chipping • Excavation

Randy Bull
(705) 457-9206 Cell: 457-0937





Stuart Baker Elementary School volunteer Marie Watson, right, was honoured with the volunteer of the year award in memory of Crystal Bain, which was presented by Bain's children Tannis Bain-Gross, left, and Trevin Bain-Gross, at the school's final assembly on June 27.

**CAR WASH & WAX**

Interior & Exterior Cleaning
Headlight Restoration & More
- Call 'The Guy' the dealerships use -
Office 888-520-7797 • Cell 705-854-3077
jeffsuddard@gmail.com

To advertise in this space
call **705-457-1037**

STYLES AND PRICES TO MATCH YOUR BUDGET.
CALL US TODAY AND LET'S GET
STARTED!



HIGHLAND CABINETRY (705) 457-2067

**Casey's**
WATER WELL &
GEOTHERMAL INC.

Tel 705.457.9558 • Toll Free 877.586.8232
6522 Gelert Rd., RR#2 • Haliburton, ON K0M 1S0
www.totalsiteservices.ca

**TOTAL**
Site Services Inc.

- Free Site Visit • WSIB Compliant
Well Drilling & Inspection
Geothermal Drilling
Hydro Fracturing
Pump Installation
- Site Clearing
Drilling & Blasting
Road Building
Driveway Maintenance
Utility Trenches • Backfilling
Septic Systems
Excavation • Trucking Services
Retaining Walls
Landscaping

Make your first call the only call you need to make!

Home & Cottage Services

DAVE'S LANDSCAPING & EXCAVATING

LANDSCAPING
STONE STAIRS
FLAGSTONE
RETAINING WALLS
DRIVEWAYS/SNOWPLOWING
fully insured • free estimates

Dave Lavergne
705-457-9787
cell: 705-457-5839
www.davelavergnelandscaping.com
P.O. Box 1406
HALIBURTON, ON
K0M 1S0

GOOD WATER MEANS GOOD LIVING

DRILLED WATER WELLS
DELIVER GOOD WATER
TRY US FIRST!

You'll Love Our Reasonable Rates



OVER 40 YEARS DRILLING EXPERIENCE

NIGHTS (705) 457-9990 **705 457-2686** FAX (705) 457-3749

Keith Cowen

Excavating
Septic Systems Lot Clearing
Driveways Logging

705-457-1997 or mobile 705-457-6155

BARRY MISCIO CONTRACTING

BMC

- Homes & Cottages
- Garages
- Renovations & Additions
- Interiors & Exteriors
- ICF & Block Basements
- Concrete Floors
- Decks, Roofing & Siding
- Fully Insured

We Take Pride In Our Work!



705-754-4603
Cell: 705-457-0553
Fax: 705-754-2938



LARRY MISCIO LOGGING



Split Firewood
Firewood Logs

PHONE 705 -754 - 3762

Highland Electric
Heating & Air Conditioning



GEO SMART ENERGY

GEOTHERMAL HEATING
FURNACES & AIR CONDITIONERS
RADIANT FLOORS / BOILERS / HRV'S

REHAU
Unlimited Polymer Solutions

39 Bobcaygeon Road, Minden ON
(705) 286-1885
highlandelectric@bellnet.ca www.highlandelectric.ca

LIFEBREATH
INDOOR AIR SYSTEMS

bryant
Heating & Cooling Systems

VIESMANN

Sharp Electric

Serving Haliburton Highlands Since 1976

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING & SERVICE

COTTAGE • HOME • COMMERCIAL • INDUSTRIAL
Supplies • Water Heater Repairs • Electric Heat • Pole Lines • Hydro Poles
ESA Contractor #7002795

KOHLER
POWER SYSTEMS
Authorized Dealer

BACK UP GENERATORS
(705) 457-2640 info@sharpelectric.ca

Buckley Electric

Residential / Commercial Wiring

705-286-1134

Kevin Buckley ME
Fax: (705) 286-5117
P.O.Box 400, Minden, ON K0M 2K0

Complete ROOFING

"Serving Haliburton Highlands"

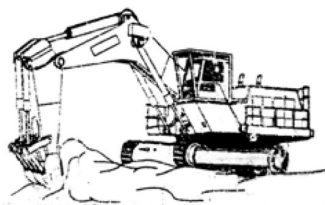
FREE Estimates / Fully Insured
5161 County Rd. 21, Suite 101, Haliburton,

705-457-9191

Quality + Reliability = Complete Roofing

Merrill Barry Co. Ltd.

- Total Site Prep.
- Driveways
- Excavation
- Sand, Gravel, Topsoil
- Licensed Septic Installer



Merrill: (705) **754-2258**
Lance: (705) **754-2607**
Fax: (705) 754-3313

email: merrill.barry@bellnet.ca
Box 137, West Guilford, ON K0M 2S0

MYERS CHIMNEY

A Division of 2277341 ONTARIO INC.

- Sweeping
- Installation
- Repair
- WETT Inspection
- Stove Glass Replacement
- Wood & Pellet Stove Sales & Service
- Wood Fired Cedar Hot Tubs



705-286-1245
www.myerschimney.com

Please recycle
this paper



Jim's Cottage Maintenance

Professional Painting & Staining
Lawncare • Tree Removal
Renovations • Roofing
Window & Chimney Cleaning
SERVING THE HIGHLANDS SINCE 1989
GO WITH EXPERIENCE!

754-4386 jscowling@sympatico.ca

Miscio Construction

Serving the Highlands since 1987



Complete Custom Homes & Cottages,
Renovations, Additions, Garages,
Decks, Foundations
for new or existing structures

North Star Windows & Patio Doors
Replacement or New Construction
Gentec/Royal/Maibec Siding



Fully Insured. References Available

Levern: 705-754-3181

Fax: 705-754-3181

Cell: 705-457-0758

miscioconstruction@bellnet.ca

www.miscioconstruction.ca



Chris: 705-754-3761

Fax: 705-754-3181

Cell: 705-457-0381

cmiscio@bellnet.ca

Turtle centre puts pieces together

Nate Smelle

Special to the *Echo*

For centuries First Nations people have used turtle shells as calendars following the 13-moon system. During the course of a year, there actually are 13 cycles of the moon each lasting approximately 28 days. The number of segments, or "scouts," on the outer shell of a turtle is 28. This coincides with the number of days in a cycle of the moon. There are also 13 scouts in the inner part of the shell of a turtle representing each one of the 13 moons in a lunar year cycle.

Unlike with the 12 month cycle of the Gregorian calendar that we use today, every moon in the 13-moon system is equal in length.

Dr. Sue Carstairs of the Kawartha Turtle Trauma Centre explains why she finds it so important to protect Ontario's turtles if we are to seriously develop our respect for nature.

"It is not just about loving turtles, it is also about respecting the fragile balance of nature. I want a healthy environment for my children and grandchildren," she said.

"By protecting turtles, we are protecting habitat, and in protecting habitat we are also protecting biodiversity. It is all interconnected."

Like with any charitable organization, their success rate is ultimately dependent upon the kindness and generosity of the volunteers and supporters sharing their time and money with the cause they believe in. The facility is not nearly large enough for the influx of injured turtles needing help. The shelter is now a haven to 138 turtles and hundreds of eggs waiting to hatch.

It is impressive to witness these creatures and their will to live in spite of the severity of their trauma. Turtles have a very similar pain threshold to humans. Some individuals taking shelter at the Kawartha Turtle Trauma Centre have suffered extremely painful, and in most cases life threatening, injuries. Without emergency treatment and rehabilitation facilities like the KTTC, nearly all of these turtles would not survive the onset of infections that would arise without the proper care and sterile conditions necessary for successful



Nate Smelle Special to the *Echo*

Female northern map turtles like this resident of the Kawartha Turtle Trauma Centre help to rid our waters of invasive species such as zebra mussels

ful rehabilitation.

Although many of the turtles admitted to the facility were hit by accident amidst road and boating traffic, a study conducted in Long Point, Ont. concluded that about 2.7 per cent of turtle strikes are intentional.

In this study researchers placed fake turtles directly in the line of traffic or in the centre of the lane so that the driver would have to either cross the centre line with his or her left tires or enter the shoulder of the road with the right tires to intentionally strike the decoy. On average we are never more than 1.5 kilometres away from a road, and it is perfectly normal for any given species of turtle in Ontario to travel two or three kilometres to a nesting site. To make things even more perilous for turtles 70 per cent of our wetlands in Ontario have already been developed. Luckily, the situation with turtles is not all doom and gloom. Veterinary technician Jackie Carnegie describes her experience of healing turtles as rewarding.

"I can't explain how great it feels when you are able to piece a turtle's shell back together, and then release it back

into the wild," she says. "It is beyond words. From my experience of studying and tracking rehabilitated and released turtles out in the field, our work here does make a difference."

In her presentation to the Bancroft Naturalist Club on June 18, Kate Siena, also of the KTTC states how crucial it is for a rehabilitated turtle to return to the ecosystem where it was rescued.

"Location is key. When you re-introduce a turtle back into the wild it is essential to the creature's survival that it is returned to the same location where it was found," Siena says.

"The spotted turtle, for instance, is the oldest living turtle in Ontario living as long as 132 years. A mature individual turtle like this contributes to its resident ecosystem in so many ways that if it is removed it can permanently disrupt the health of that ecosystem."

Putting the pieces of this puzzle together it is obvious that the problems causing turtle populations to decline so rapidly after more than 200 million years of successful evolution are of human origin.

DAWSON GRAY LLP
CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS
(705) 457-1330 (888) 839-0028



- Tax planning for individuals and business owners
- Estate planning
- Investment holding companies
- Personal and corporate tax returns

Tim Degeer

tdegeer@dawsongray.on.ca

Hugh Nichol

hugh_nichol@dawsongray.on.ca

DR ED SMOLEN

Family and Cosmetic Dentistry

New Patients Always Welcome

235 Highland Street - Haliburton

705-457-2345

"Helping Highlanders SMILE
for over 14 Years!"

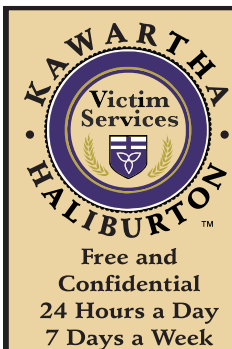


**DAWSON INSURANCE
BROKERS LTD.**
191 Highland St., Haliburton



Representing
THE DOMINION
Canada's Trusted Insurance Company

Hours Mon.- Fri. 8:30 - 5 • Sat. by appointment



**Supporting
Victims of Crime
and Tragic
Circumstances**

Serving The City of Kawartha
Lakes and Haliburton County

In partnership with area Police
and other community partners

705.454.1884

www.victim-services.org

1.800.574.4401

Professional Services

DR. MARK BLACK - DENTIST

serving the Kawarthas since 1998

New Patients Welcome

Emergency Care

Extractions • Root Canals

Evening hours available



129 Main St., Bobcaygeon 705-738-1464

Auto • Home • Cottage • Business

Economical
Insurance

Intact
Insurance

Algoma
Mutual

705-457-2411 • 1-800-582-5217
www.dawsoninsurance.ca

Reads of the week

Book of the Week

The Other Daughter by Lisa Gardner

If you enjoyed the dramatic family secrets and tight plot featured in *The Accident* by Linwood Barclay, then try reading *The Other Daughter*, one of Lisa Gardner's earliest novels. Twenty years ago, Melanie Stokes was adopted by a wealthy couple after being abandoned in a hospital. She always considered herself very lucky – that is, until a has-been reporter starts digging into her past. Melanie has no memory of her life before the adoption but someone wants to give it back, even if it includes digging up the darkest nightmare the Stokes family ever faced: the murder of their first daughter in Texas. As Melanie desperately searches for her real identity, two seemingly unrelated events from the past will come together in a dangerous explosion of truth. How well does Melanie really know her family? Find out by reserving this title today at your branch of the Haliburton County Public Library.

Junior Book of the Week — Young Adult Title

Jellicoe Road by Melina Marchetta

Abandoned by her mother at the age of eleven, Taylor Markham, now seventeen, is at ease in her life as a dorm leader at the boarding school she attends. But when her guardian Hannah suddenly disappears, and a young man from her past re-enters her life, she finds herself forced to confront a history that she thought had been laid to rest. A unique Australian setting, rich characters, beautiful writing, and a complex plot, which is filled with twists

that keep readers guessing are just some of the appeals of Melina Marchetta's *Jellicoe Road*. If you're in the mood for a detailed, brilliantly evocative, tragic and romantic read, reserve *Jellicoe Road* from Haliburton County Public Library today.

Local Celebrity Read



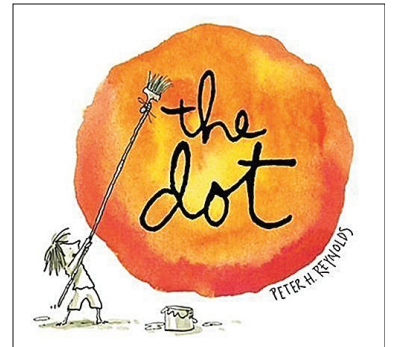
Joanna Coles, the summer children's programming coordinator at the Haliburton County Public Library, is preparing for upcoming story times by rereading *The Dot* by Peter H. Reynolds. A recent graduate of teachers college, Coles likes to choose books for her students that subtly provide life lessons while still being fun and interesting to look at. "Peter H. Reynolds is an author that accomplishes this very well," says

Coles. "His books are always charming, smartly written and do a great job at promoting creative thinking, original ideas and the importance of expressing oneself."

The Dot follows a frustrated young student named Vashti who exclaims to her teacher, "I just can't draw!" As she stabs an angry dot onto her art paper, her clever teacher shows her how creativity can turn this one lonely dot into something wonderful. "This story teaches us that sometimes it is the smallest of dots that mark the beginning of our greatest accomplishments," says Coles. "Reynolds' other book that I would suggest for a similar reason is *The Ish*. I hope to include these books during some of my story times this summer."



The "summer fun" program begins July 3 and will feature stories, crafts, games and songs for children aged two plus. This program is free and runs throughout the summer. Please check the Haliburton County Public Library website (www.haliburtonlibrary.ca) for further details. "We hope to see lots of kids come out this summer," adds Coles.



News & Events

Chair yoga continues this July! Drop by the Dysart branch of the library on Fridays at noon for a relaxing class designed to help improve your flexibility and mobility. No experience is required. Entrance is by donation to the Friends of the Library.

All featured books available at

Haliburton County Public Library

Point in Time rec and hub programs in need of financial assistance

Funding is running out. Important programs will be cut. The Summer Adventure Day Camp, the After School Recreation Program and the JDH Neighbourhood Hub are programs made possible by the generous donations or individuals, cottage associations, community organization and businesses.

While many of the services provided by Point in Time Centre for Children, Youth and Parents receive provincial or municipal funding, the recreation and Hub programs are increasingly dependent on the good will and support of the Haliburton County residents.

Marg Cox, executive director, is calling on the community: "Point in Time needs your help. Can your community group or organization hold a fundraiser to support these programs?"

For more information, to make a donation or to request a presentation, please contact Gail Stelter at 705-457-3768 or email gails@pointintime.ca

Support Point in Time programs and services

The JDH Neighbourhood Hub was implemented this year and brought together children and parents with educators, community partners, agencies and expert consultants.

The Hub takes place one night each week and is free to all participants who are provided a healthy meal and well-planned parent and child engagement activities.

The JDH Neighbourhood Hub has been instrumental in

building community and enriching families. Currently the Hub has received \$3,000 from HCDC for next year.

It will cost \$12,000 to run the program.

After school recreation programs

School-aged children are provided with supervised active play and nutritional food for two hours after school during the school year.

This is a free recreation program provided once a week at Archie Stouffer Elementary School in Minden and Wilberforce Elementary School in Wilberforce and twice a week at Cardiff Elementary School in Cardiff. In 2011-2012 more than 170 children were registered in the Point in Time After School Recreation Program.

The costs for this program are: \$7 per child per week.

Camp Programs

Point in Time provides week-long day camps for children ages six to 11. Summer Adventure Day Camps take place throughout Haliburton County with the location of the camps varying from week to week.

For example, the camp may be in Gooderham one week and in Minden the next.

Well-qualified staff provide excellent programs that are both active and educational.

The nominal fee for this camp can be waived according to individual family circumstances. The costs to parents for this program are \$30 per child per week.

The actual costs are, however, much higher due to the additional costs of staffing and overhead expenses.

The Summer Camp Fund is for children who would like to go to camp and would benefit from the opportunity but whose families are not able to afford to send them.

Usually the children attend one week of overnight camp. Occasionally, when parents feel overnight camp is not suitable for their child, one week of day camp is provided.

Over the last 23 years Point in Time has sent over 500 children from Haliburton County to local camps. This year some children will be turned down due to lack of funds.

The costs for this program are: \$600 per child per week. Currently there is \$3,300 in the Camp Fund. Our goal is to raise \$8,000.

Respite services

Point in Time Respite Services are available to the parent of a child, newborn to age 18, who has special needs because of developmental, physical, mental, social, emotional and/or behavioural problems.

Respite can take the form of short-term respite for a few hours a week, overnight respite, weekend respite, summer respite with recreational workers, and one on one workers at local camps.

Respite provides a break for parents and provides a fun and social experience for a child or youth with exceptional needs.

The costs for this program are: \$220 per child per week.

- Submitted by Point in Time

Wildlife in your backyard

Have a great nature shot? Send it to jenn.watt@sunmedia.ca. The bigger the file size the bigger we can print it.

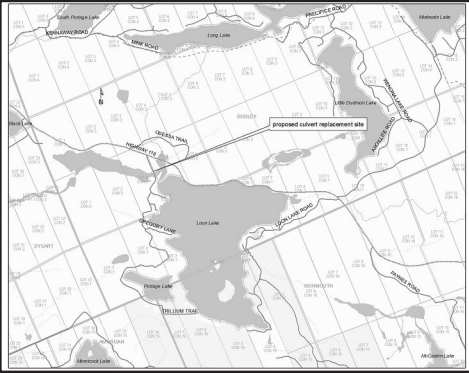


Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

PROPOSED CULVERT REPLACEMENT

The Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR), Bancroft District, is inviting public comment on an application from the Gregory Road Cottagers Association seeking approval to replace an existing culvert between Loon Lake and Stump Lake, Dudley Township.



The proposal is being evaluated in accordance with a Category B project under the Class Environmental Assessment for MNR Resource Stewardship and Facility Development Projects. A Notice of Completion will be provided to parties who have provided input or requested further notice. Where concerns can be resolved, MNR can proceed to implement the project without issuing a Notice of Completion.

You are invited to direct any inquiries or comments regarding the culvert replacement proposal to Doug Harper, Vice-President, Gregory Road Cottagers Association OR Linda Ray, Sr. Lands Technician, MNR Minden Area Office. Comments must be received within the 30-day comment period, which expires on Thursday, July 19, 2012.

Comments and personal information regarding this proposal are collected under authority of the Environmental Assessment Act, Lakes and River Improvement Act and Public Lands Act to assist MNR in making decisions. Comments not constituting personal information as defined by the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, will be shared among MNR and others as appropriate, and may be included in documentation available for public review. Personal information will remain confidential unless prior consent to disclose is obtained.

For more information on the project, to submit comments, or to request further notice, please contact:

Gregory Road Cottagers Association
Doug Harper, Vice President
11 Lessard Avenue
Toronto, ON M6S 1X6
Phone (416) 986-4303
toughest2min@msn.com

MNR – Linda Ray, Sr. Lands Technician
PO Box 820, 12698 Hwy 35
Minden, ON N2K 0M 2K0
Phone 705-286-5225
Fax 705-286-4355
Email : Linda.Ray@Ontario.ca



Above, Kim Emmerson sent in this photo of a grey tree frog. "This little fellow is mostly nocturnal and changes colour to its surroundings. Note the long fingers and toes for climbing trees," he wrote in an email. Far left, three loons gather together on Kennisis Lake in this photo by Diane Arppe. Left, Sandra Bramham captured a photo of a snapping turtle laying eggs on Essonville Line. Below, Linda Heeps sent in this photo with this message: Our goldfinch decided to roost on our ornamental cat in the tree. I hope he is wiser with real cats.



NOTICE

Naming of all Public/Private Roads and/or changing of Road Names in the Municipality of Highlands East, County of Haliburton

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Section 48 of the Municipal Act 2001, S.O. 2001, c. 25, as amended, the Municipal Council, at their regular meeting, will be considering a by-law to name/rename all public and private roads, as required, to accommodate the addition/revision of road names within the County of Haliburton.

Date: Tuesday, August 14, 2012
Time: 9:00 a.m.

For further information, please contact the municipal office:

Municipality of Highlands East
Box 295, Wilberforce, Ontario K0L 3C0
Irene Cook, Clerk
(705) 448-2981 ex. 222

Celebrations abound

West Guilford

Eleanor Cooper

754-2278

Much of the week was spent by many Guilford people volunteering their time to prepare for Canada Day and ensure the success of the celebration here.

Thanks to all who helped. More news after the event when it is known who won the races or qualified in other ways.

St. Peter's Anglican Church supplied a really good strawberry and salad supper on June 30. This was also the date of the fifth anniversary of the Art Hive. This co-operative has made a success of the artisans over this period. A drum circle and live music was provided by musicians all day.

Demonstrations included weaving, silk screening, pottery and block painting. A special treat was presented in the form of a five-tier cake, one layer for each year of the Art Hive.

Euchre scores for June 26: high - Liz Jessemann and Brandon van Nood; low - Iris Miscio and Bill Geddes; most lone hands - Myra Marshall and Ray Sisson; and specials went to Barb Brownsberger and Bill Marshall.



Celebrating 25 years

Wade and Jane Woodward celebrated the 25th anniversary of their business, Haliburton's The Pump Shop, this spring with a barbecue for customers and deals on hot tubs, patio furniture, water treatment systems and more.

Chad Ingram Staff

Coming Events

community calendar

What's happening in the County

Post your event for free on the web. Go to: www.mindentimes.ca or

to the  Haliburton Highlands

Community Calendar link at: www.haliburtonecho.ca

EVERY Tuesday: Adult Soccer located at the HHSS Field beginning at 6:30 pm. Please visit www.haliburtosoccer.com to print a copy of your waiver and to view a list of rules. Pick up league fees are included in the registration fees of individuals already registered for Summer League. Drop-in admission charges will apply to unregistered members.

Anyone Interested in running the trails of Haliburton county or learning to trail run call Oliver Fisher 705-457-6610

Every Friday - August 31: Haliburton Farmers Market located in Carnarvon near the intersection of hwy 118 and hwy 35. The market will be open every Friday from 1 to 5.

July 4 - August 8: Qigong and Gentle Yoga in the Head Lake Park this Summer Wednesday mornings from 7:30 - 8:30 am. Meet at the front doors of the Dysart Branch of the Haliburton County Library. By financial donation to Heritage Ballets 2012 Ballet Adventure. For more information check out www.haliburtonyoga.com

July 6 and 7: 4TH ANNUAL CANOE FM RADIOTHON. Support volunteer community radio by calling 705 457 1009 to make your donation, song request or challenge. Bid on 5 amazing auction packages and win one of our 22 hourly prizes. TURN YOUR RADIO ON!

July 7: Heritage Day Highland Grove Community Centre from 11:00 am - 3:30 pm. For more information call 705-448-9546

July 7: TRUNK SALE 8 am to 12 noon Ladies Auxiliary Branch 636 Legion Minden in the parking lot. Vendors - \$10.00 to participate. To register or for additional information please contact Marvella Smith 705-489-2973

July 7: The Norland United Church will be hosting its annual salad at 4 pm. Adults \$12. Children 5-12 \$6. Preschool free.

July 7: Moore Lake Property Owners Association - Annual General Meeting at The Noble Motel, Hwy 35, Moore Falls (9:30 am Coffee & Registration, 10 am Meeting Starts (New Memberships available at the AGM). Please support your Lake Association

July 7: Soyers Lake Ratepayers Association Annual General Meeting located at Pinestone 10:00 am Kinmount Room

July 7: Dysart et al is hosting a Sustainability Open House at the home of Brian Nash at 1071 Dardanelles Road (off Indian Point Road). Although we are still working out all the details, it does promise to be informative and educational and we wanted to make sure that both of you were aware of the event in case you wanted to come out for a free bbq and to help us raise some awareness in the community.

July 11: Buffet Salad Supper at Minden United Church, 21 Newcastle St., starting at 4:30 pm, Adults \$10, Children under 12 \$5, Preschooler's FREE **July 14:** The Norland Ladies Auxiliary to the Norland Firefighters Association is holding a BBQ Beef dinner at 5 pm, cash bar, in conjunction with the Norland Festival weekend Recreation Centre at Ward Park. Adults \$12. Children \$6. Preschool-free. Limited number of tickets available. Call Debbie

July 14: Big Glamor Lake Cottagers' Association annual general meeting at the Robert McCausland Memorial Centre in Gooderham. 9 a.m. meet 'n' mingle; 10 a.m. meeting begins.

July 21: Lochlin Community Centre Giant Yard Sale. 9am- 3 pm. Something for everyone Vendors Wanted call 705-286-6078

August 6: Seventh Books Alive 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Minden Cultural Centre / Common Room 174 Bobcaygeon Road, Minden ON

Events listings are provided **FREE for non-profit groups on a space-available** basis. While we endeavour to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be emailed to jennifer.mceathron@sunmedia.ca or brought in to the office.

Please submit events by the Wednesday prior to the requested publication date.

NOTE: This calendar is not a comprehensive listing of all events taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in the Echo for more information on events in the Highlands. For more Ongoing Community Events please see the Weekender.

Canada Day delightful in Wilberforce

Wilberforce

Hilda Clark

448-2018

What perfect weather for those attending Canada Day celebrations on Sunday afternoon in Wilberforce.

A pleasant setting, too, there by the cairn and the National Historic Site plaque with the Legion members looking so great in their uniforms, colours waving.

The excellent music played by Bethany Houghton and Ernie Demuth before and after as well as during the short but happy program was greatly appreciated. Their lively violin and guitar music fostered happy faces and tapping toes.

Thanks to the volunteer choir who led everyone in the old favourite *This Land Is Your Land*.

Thanks also to the Wilberforce Heritage Guild members for hosting the event and providing the 145th Canada Day birthday cake and ice cream by the lake.

The 2012 awards and graduation ceremonies for students of the Wilberforce Elementary School took place on Tuesday, June 26 at the Lloyd Watson Memorial Centre.

After a welcome by principal Mr. Gord Wood and greetings from board of education trustee Mr. Gary Brohman, the school choir sang an interesting modern version of *This Little Light Of Mine*.

Mr. Wood was assisted in the awards presentations by Ms. Karen Phipps, Mr. Sam Brown and Ms. Jennifer Thompson.

The awards for academic excellence went to Eric Morrison (Grade 4), Brooke Billings (Grade 5), Cathrine Robbins (Grade 6), Carmen Galea (Grade 7), and Alexandra French (Grade 8).

Leadership awards were presented to Brayden Rodgers (Grade 4), Mikaela Kauffeldt (Grade 6), Dylan Smith (Grade 7), and Samuel Hann-Stevens (Grade 8). Receiving awards for citizenship were McKayla French (Grade 4), Becca Pacey (Grade 5), Alexis Toth (Grade 6), Hunter Rogers-Millson (Grade 7), and Lloyd Callfas (Grade 8).

Hunter Robbins (Grade 4), Jesse Scott (Grade 5), Kendra Anderson (Grade 6), Jarret Hughes (Grade 7), and Kimberley Rowe (Grade 8) received the most improved awards.

Athletic awards went to Ethan Woods (Grade 4), Lexi Rogers-Millson (Grade 5), Taylor Davies (Grade 6), Dillon Tallman (Grade 7) and Jade McCartney (Grade 8).

The awards for consistent perseverance in all areas of school life were presented to Stuart Lockwood (Grade 4), Brittany Hewar (Grade 5), Jason Wood (Grade 6), Sonora Plumb (Grade 7), and Cole Finlay (Grade 8).

For excellent participation, ability and attitude in French the awards were presented to Abigail Kauffeldt (Grade 4), Nikki Middag (Grade 5), Melinda Meharrie (Grade 6), Keisha-Marie Hughes (Grade 7) and Alexandra

French (Grade 8).

The students in the graduating Grade 8 class who will be moving on to high school in September are Susie Cachia, Lloyd Callfas, Alexandra French, Cole Finlay, Samuel Hann-Stevens, Connor Henderson, Jade McCartney, Joey Podres, Kimberley Rowe and Jessie Whiteside.

From the graduating class, four deserving students were awarded the new Reeve's Bursaries. They were presented to Lloyd Callfas, Cole Finlay, Alexandra French and Samuel Hann-Stevens by Highlands East Deputy-reeve Suzanne Partridge.

Each winner received a certificate and a bursary of \$100. Reeve Dave Burton personally provide half of the bursaries and that was matched by the Municipality of Highlands East.

The Ontario Council Principal's Choice awards went to Jade McCartney and Alexandra French.

On behalf of the graduating class, valedictorian Alexandra French spoke highly of their final year at the Wilberforce School and of their hopes for the future.

A PowerPoint presentation that had been created by Alexandra French, Jade McCartney and Carmen Galea highlighted many special times during the 2011-2012 school year.

Congratulations to all the award winners and best wishes to all the students as they move on to the next level. Have a good holiday.

Bring your friends and family for a ham and scalloped dinner



Legion br. 624

Jan Simon PRO



Saturday, July 21, 2012

Sir Sam's Ski & Bike, Haliburton

10K Run &
2.5K Run/walk



A cross country run with a view!
A view to raise funds for epilepsy research.
Register or donate online.



705-448-2709

www.katiesrun.ca

Weekly Events July 1 to July 8

Monday	Bid Euchre	7 p.m.
Tuesday	Executive Meeting	7 p.m.
Wednesday	Darts	7:30 p.m.
Friday	Pool	1:30 p.m.
	Ham/scalloped dinner	5 to 7 p.m.
	Jam Session	7 p.m. Come to play or
	listen to great music	
Saturday	Meat Draw	2 to 5 p.m.
	Karaoke	9 p.m.

Upcoming Events

Uncle Bob's Kids Rock Bass Derby - Saturday, July 14
Register at the Legion July 8 to 13 or The Fishes' Lunch Box by 10 a.m. on the 14. This is a total weight event - bring in all you catch. Weigh-in 12 to 1 p.m.

This event is free for children ages three to 12. Good family fun.

Recent Events

Saturday, June 23 the Harold Floden Memorial Small Mouth Bass Tournament was held at Branch 624 of the Royal Canadian Legion, Wilberforce.

There were 36 participants with 19 entries for tournament prizes. It was a two fish entry for total weight.

We gratefully appreciate the donation of a gift certificate from Rob Parks - Fishes' Lunch Box and a Tackle Box from Steve Mirams - We thank you for your generosity.

Winners	Total Weigh	Lake
1st Bill Elliott	6.413	Cardiff
2nd Robbie Mirams	4.950	Monk/Cedar
3rd Dana Pacey	4.598	Cardiff
4th Gordon Tetreault	3.542	Elephant
5th Rod Eld	3.498	Cope
Further Winners		
Largest Small Mouth Bass - Bill Elliott 4.301 - Cardiff Lake		



Brian Eves, executive of branch 624, presents the trophy to the big winner of the Harold Floden Memorial Small Mouth Bass Tournament Bill Elliott. Bill won in two categories, total weight and largest small mouth Bass. /Photo submitted

YARD SALE

JULY 7TH

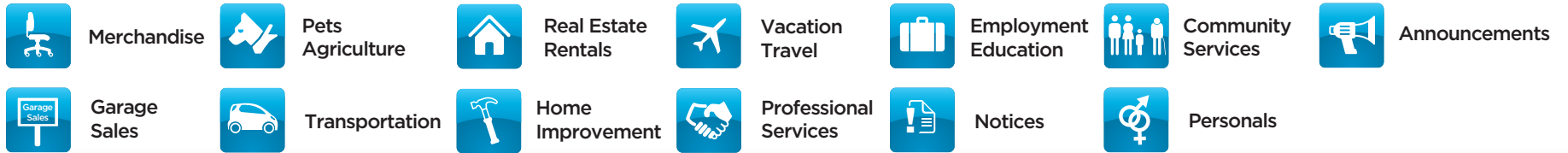
1037 OSPREY RD

7A.M. - 2P.M.

House hold items, Ski, Bikes
& Carrier,
PLUS MUCH MORE

classifiedextra.ca

Canada's largest and most trusted print and online classifieds network



Place it on classifiedextra.ca

Phone: 1-866-541-6757

Online: haliburtonecho.classifiedextra.ca

Fax: 1-866-485-8461

Email: placeit@classifiedextra.ca

<p>Merchandise A120</p> <p>Free Ads A050</p> <p>Beaverbrook Minden Free GOLF Lessons M.T. - R. Hart July 4th 4:00 pm & 6:00 pm Bobby Jones Masters, Louise Suggs LPGA. Contact # 705-879-2128 or contact Club # 705-286-1378</p> <p>LOOK Need publicity for your upcoming event? Call classifieds at 1-866-541-6757 to get noticed!</p>	<p>Auctions A120</p> <p>ANNUAL First of Summer Boat & RV AUCTION! Sat. July 7th, 10 am. WANTED! WANTED! All Makes & Models of Boats, Marine & Water- craft, RVs, Campers, Trailers & Recreation Equip, Fishing & Sporting Gear, Tools & More! Turn your unwanted equip into \$ CASH \$ Sale to be held at MABEE AUCTION 5933 Hwy 35 - 1 mile (North of Rosedale or 7km South of Cobocok) To consign call Calvin Mabee at 705-454-2841 or 705-454-2431 Buying or selling, don't miss it! www.auctionsfind.com/mabee</p>	<p>Firewood A180</p> <p>Nicely Seasoned Firewood Dunlop Farms West Guilford 705-754-3034</p> <p>Best Deal THE CLASSIFIEDS Always A Best Seller!</p>	<p>Furniture A190</p> <p><i>What a gem!</i> SOFA 94" DARK BLUE Denim - Sink yourself into this contemporary sofa with camelback sides, reversible cush- ions. \$250 - Must See! ANTIQUE PRESSBACK chairs (6) Unique patterns, \$40 each. Call 705-489-1109 (Close to Minden)</p> <p>OBTAIN RESULTS, with Classified Extra 1-866-541-6757</p> <p>Miscellaneous A230</p> <p>LOOK (2)BAJA, 5.5 HP, mini bikes. Excellent cond. Original \$700/each will sell for \$300/each. 705-448-9267</p> <p>STEEL ROOFING & SIDING 29 gauge Galv \$68 per sq .45 year paint \$98 per sq. 10 year paint \$78 per sq. Bar Steel Sales 705-723-8080 www.sbsteel.ca</p>	<p>Apartment A610 Unfurnished</p> <p>ASHLEY HOPE APARTMENTS</p> <p>Starting from \$649.00 monthly</p> <p>LARGE 2 BEDROOM Balcony, Laundry, Appliances Nice quiet building Toll free: 1-888-278-8525</p> <p>Real Estate Rentals</p> <p>Apartment A610 Unfurnished</p> <p>2 bedroom recently renovated apartment in Maple Lake Area. Clean well maintained building, heat/hydro included first/last ref., No Smoker/No Pet \$775/month 416-771-7114</p>	<p>Coming A940 Events</p> <p>WINTERGREEN PANCAKE BARN STRAWBERRY SOCIAL Sat. June 30 to Sun. July 1 Sat. July 7th to Sun. July 8th 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.</p> <p>Wintergreen creates fresh fruit delights with real whipped cream topped with maple syrup and of course fresh strawberries. Come on over and taste test our BBQ sauces, jams, jellies, mustards, fruit syrups and homemade preserves (\$25.00 retail product gets you a free maple mustard). Have your cake and experience it too...crepes, pancakes, sausages, maple baked beans, french toast topped with fresh strawberries. We also serve Wintergreen pulled pork on fresh bread. Calendar of Events available. Call at any time to purchase retail products. Cash or cheque only. Wintergreen Pancake Barn #3325 Gelert Rd. 705-286-3202 We are having a 25th anniversary celebration BBQ and Band on Sat. July 14th to celebrate 25 years in business in Haliburton Highlands. 11 am to 3 p.m. Free BBQ tasting. The Lobsters are coming...We are having a Maritime BBQ on Sat. July 7th (by reservation only) bring your partner for a full 1.5-2 lb. lobster dinner (beef available also)Dinner for 2...\$39.00 Call 705-286-3202</p>
<p>Appliances A110</p> <p>HIGHLAND APPLIANCES Home Appliance Repairs Domestic & Commercial 705-457-1048 13 Industrial Pk. Rd.</p>	<p>Miscellaneous A230</p> <p>FOR SALE COMPLETE SEPTIC SYSTEMS Tank Replacement or Repairs Fully Licensed & Insured Serving The Haliburton Highlands for 30+ years We take care of all the paper work and permits. Health Unit Inspected, Call for FREE Estimate Brent Colman Trucking and Excavating Phone # 705-286-3952 (Minden) or Toll Free # 1-800-357-8711</p>		<p>Pets Agriculture Transportation</p> <p>Cars A400</p> <p>2003 PT Cruiser, 185K, 5 spd. well maintained, certified, \$4500. 705 754 9743 days</p> <p>Vans/ Trucks A420</p> <p>99 GMC SON (3rd door) certified, rebuilt box, plus new paint. \$3900. mostly summer driven 223,000km 705-754-1124</p> <p>RECREATIONAL VEHICLES</p>	<p>General A800 Employment</p> <p>Cabinetmaker/Woodworker Kitchen and furniture shop in Harcourt requires full time help. Min. 3 years experience in a woodworking or kitchen manufacturing environment preferred. Fax or email resume to: 705-448-9877 cottagehill@sympatico.ca</p> <p>Career A880 Training</p> <p>Bowes & Cocks Limited Brokerage CONSIDER A CAREER IN REAL ESTATE Try our Real Estate Simulator: RealEstateCareerInfo.ca Or Contact us for Information New Agent FAST START Program We will SHOW you how to make an above average income in this exciting business! Kate Archer, Broker / Regional Manager Office: (705) 457-2220 Direct: (705) 930-4040 Email: careers@BowesAndCocks.com www.RealEstateCareerInfo.ca Your Best Choice For Success!</p>	<p>Garage Sales G100</p> <p>Venders Wanted Lochlin Community Centre Large Outside Sale July 21 9am-3pm Please call John or Renie 705-286-6078</p>
<p>BUSINESS & SERVICES DIRECTORY</p> <p>Home Improvement HUGE Result can happen when you place an ad! 1-866-541-6757 classifiedextra.ca</p> <p>Repairs/ Handyman S290 ODD JOB JACK Your Local Handyman What can we do for you? 705-448-9965 or email oddjobjack@yahoo.ca</p> <p>Professional S380 Services ATTENTION READERS classifiedextra.ca strongly urges read- ers to investigate potential BUSINESS and FRANCHISE Opportunities before sending money in response to any advertisements.</p> <p>Professional S406 Services ANIMAL PROBLEMS WITH YOUR GARBAGE ? Check our Canadian made steel containers. YouTube for TyeDee Bin and see polar, grizzly and black bears testing them ! ALGONQUIN TEAK. (705) 457-8020</p>	<p>Legal A900 Notices</p> <p>Free advice regarding social assistance, housing, EI and CPP issues. Conseils juridiques gratuits en logement, aide sociale, assurance-emploi et pension (RPC). Call the French Legal Advice Line / Appelez la Ligne d'avis juridique 1-877-687-2847</p>	<p>General A800 Employment</p> <p>ATTENTION READERS classifiedextra.ca strongly recommends that readers never send money in response to Employ- ment or Job Oppor- tunity advertisements.</p> <p>Personals</p> <p>Garage Sales</p>	<p>Sell it Here!</p> <p>Find the right person for the job! Advertise with classifiedextra.ca</p>		

Network Classifieds: Advertise Across Ontario or Across the Country!

For more information contact
Your local newspaper

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THERE'S ONE IN EVERY CROWD. Nominate a 6 to 17 year old for the prestigious 2010 Ontario Junior Citizen of the Year Award. Deadline Nov. 30. www.ocna.org or call 905-639-8720 ext. 239.

BUSINESS SERVICES

LOOKING FOR NEW BUSINESS and added revenue? Promote your company in Community Newspapers across Ontario right here in these Network Classified Ads or in business card-sized ads in hundreds of well-read newspapers. Let us show you how. Ask about our referral program. Ontario Community Newspapers Association. Contact Carol at 905-639-5718 or Toll-Free 1-800-387-7982 ext. 229. www.ocna.org

CAREER TRAINING

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION is rated #2 for at-home jobs. Train from home with the only industry approved school in Canada. Contact CanScribe today! 1-800-466-1535. www.canscribe.com. info@canscribe.com.

EMPLOYMENT OPPS.

\$\$\$ ATTENTION CHOCOLATE \$\$\$ Here's a great opportunity to make extra income by selling chocolate bars and new products. Fundraising services available. Call now: 1-800-383-3589.

EXCLUSIVE FINNING/Caterpillar Mechanic training. GPRC Fairview Campus, Alberta. High school diploma; grade 12 Math, Science, English, mechanical aptitude required. \$1000. entrance scholarship. Paid practicum with Finning. Write apprenticeship exams. 1-888-999-7882; www.gprc.ab.ca/fairview. January 2011.

CHEAP TELEPHONE RECONNECT! Paying too much? Switch & save! Only \$39.95/month! Fast connections, flexible due dates, low rates - call now! 1-877-336-2274. Phone Factory Reconnect; www.phonefactory.ca.

MOTORCYCLES

THE ONE- THE ONLY- The only one in Canada! Only authorized Harley Davidson Technician Program at Fairview College Campus, Alberta. March 2011 intake. On-campus residences. 1-888-999-7882; www.gprc.ab.ca/fairview.

FINANCIAL SERVICES

LOANS for RV'S, ATV'S, BOATS, SNOWMOBILES, cars, trucks, trailers, heavy equipment and home improvements. Superior service! BEST terms and amortizations and BEST RATES, oac. 1-877-976-3232.

\$\$\$ HOME OWNER LOANS FOR ANY PURPOSE - Decrease payments up to 75%! 1st, 2nd & 3rd Mortgages & Credit lines. Bad credit, tax or mortgage arrears OK. Ontario-Wide Financial Corp. (LIC# 10171), Toll-Free 1-888-307-7799, www.ontario-widefinancial.com.

\$500\$ LOAN SERVICE, by phone, no credit refused, quick and easy, payable over 6 or 12 installments. Toll Free: 1-877-776-1660. www.moneyprovider.com.

DEBT CONSOLIDATION PROGRAM. Helping Canadians repay debts, reduce or eliminate interest, regardless of your credit. Steady Income? You may qualify for instant help. Considering Bankruptcy? Call 1-877-220-3328 FREE Consultation Government Approved, BBB Member.

FOR SALE

CAN'T GET UP YOUR STAIRS? Acorn Stairlifts can help. Call Acorn Stairlifts now! Mention this ad and get 10% off your new Stairlift. Call 1-866-981-6590.

NEW Norwood SAWMILLS - LumberMate-Pro handles logs 34" diameter, mills boards 28" wide. Automated quick-cycle-sawing increases efficiency up to 40%. www.NorwoodSawmills.com/4000T - FREE Information: 1-800-566-6899 Ext:4000T.

#1 HIGH SPEED INTERNET \$24.95 / Month. Absolutely no ports are blocked. Unlimited Downloading. Up to 5Mbps Download and 800Kbps Upload. ORDER TODAY AT www.acanac.ca or CALL TOLL-FREE: 1-866-281-3538.

A FREE TELEPHONE SERVICE - Get Your First Month Free. Bad Credit, Don't Sweat It. No Deposits. No Credit Checks. Call Freedom Phone Lines Today Toll-Free 1-866-884-7464.

HOME PHONE RECONNECT Call 1-866-287-1348. Hi-Speed Internet available in most parts of Saskatchewan! Prepaid long distance specials! Referral Program! Connect! Call 1-866-287-1348.

FRANCHISE OPPS.

LIVING ASSISTANCE SERVICES, www.laservices.ca is a ten year old non-medical agency providing superb care to seniors. Now franchising across Ontario. Contact millsp@rogers.com or 416-807-9972.

HELP WANTED

#1 IN PARDONS. Remove your criminal record. Express Pardons offers the FASTEST pardons, LOWEST prices, and it's GUARANTEED. BBB Accredited. FREE Consultation Toll-free 1-866-416-6772, www.ExpressPardons.com.

NEED TO MAKE SOME "GOOD COIN" for the upcoming Christmas Season? 8 Sales Reps Needed to Start Immediately. Positions are limited. Apply immediately. Call HR at (416) 232-9200.

LEGAL SERVICES

DISABILITY CLAIM DENIED? Toronto's Leading Disability Lawyers will fight for your rights! We offer a Free Consultation for Group & Private Disability Claims. No Fees until we Settle. www.ShareDisabilityLaw.com. 1-888-777-1109.

MORTGAGES

\$\$\$ 1st, 2nd, 3rd MORTGAGES - Tax Arrears, Renovations, Debt Consolidation, no CMHC fees. \$50K you pay \$208.33/month (OAC). No income, bad credit, power of sale stopped!! BETTER OPTION MORTGAGES, CALL 1-800-282-1169, www.mortgageontario.com (LIC# 10969).

AS SEEN ON TV - 1st, 2nd, Home Equity Loans, Bad Credit, Self-Employed, Bankrupt, Foreclosure, Power of Sale and need to Re-Finance?? Let us fight for you because we understand - Life Happens!! CALL Toll-Free 1-877-733-4424 or www.callmortgagebrokers.com. The Refinancing Specialists (MortgageBrokers.com LIC#10408).

A BELOW BANK RATE, 1st and 2nd Mortgages from 2.30% VRM, 3.69% 5 YR. Fixed, 95% - 100% o.a.c. Financing, 1st TIME HOME BUYERS, Debt Consolidation, Self-employed, All Credit Types considered. CALL 1-800-225-1777, www.homeguardfunding.com, EST. 1983. LIC #10409.

PERSONALS

A CRIMINAL RECORD? We'll clear it! Don't be misled by others, get what you really need. Lowest price, guaranteed. BBB Certified Pardons/Waivers Toll-Free 1-800-507-8043, www.pardongranted.ca.

CRIMINAL RECORD? Seal it with a PARDON! Need to enter the U.S.? Get a 5 year WAIVER! Call for a free brochure. Toll-free 1-888-9-PARDON or 905-459-9669.

HOW TO MEET SOMEONE? IT'S SIMPLE... You're beyond the bar, You're fed up with internet dating, Your friends don't set you up with the right one, everyone at work married? MISTY RIVER INTRODUCTIONS - CALL US TODAY! (416)-777-6302, (705)734-1292 www.mistyriverintros.com.

FREE TO TRY. LOVE * MONEY * LIFE. #1 Psychics! *1-877-478-4410* \$3.19 min. 18+ *1-900-783-3800*

DATING SERVICE. Long-Term/Short-Term Relationships, FREE CALLS. 1-877-297-9883. Exchange voice messages, voice mailboxes. 1-888-534-6984. Live adult casual conversations-1on1, 1-866-311-9640, Meet on chat-lines. Local Single Ladies. 1-877-804-5381. (18+).

REAL ESTATE

DAALER LEISURE CABINS. We build, pre-fab cabins, bunks, from \$3,995.00. Pine Log Home Style Kits. Website www.leisurecabins.com. Jack Fortier (613) 852-0363, leisurecabins@yahoo.com, Arie Daaler (613) 930-1963, ariedaaler@sympatico.ca.

STEEL BUILDINGS

STEEL BUILDINGS PRICED TO CLEAR - Incredible end-of-season factory discounts on various models/sizes. Plus FREE DELIVERY to most areas. CALL FOR CLEARANCE QUOTE AND BROCHURE - 1-800-668-5111 ext. 170.

BUILDING SALE... "ROCK BOTTOM PRICES!" 25X30 \$5449. 30X40 \$7850. 32X60 \$12,300. 32X80 \$17,800. 35X60 \$14,200. 40X70 \$14,770. 40X100 \$24,600. 46X140 \$36,990. OTHERS. Front endwall optional. Pioneer MANUFACTURERS DIRECT 1-800-668-5422.

A-Z DRIVERS WANTED

AZ DRIVERS for U.S. Cross Border. Mileage rate + bonuses - \$50.00 for every clean CVIR, monthly idle bonus, \$20.00 load securement, \$20.00 FDA inspection, \$50.00 NYC, bi-annual safety bonus, dedicated equipment, paid orientation & company benefits - Call Steve @ Toll-Free 1-800-265-8789 Ext. 228 or (905) 457-8789 ext. 228 or email me at steve@travelers.ca.

AUTOMOTIVE

AUTO PARTS FOR ALL CARS AND TRUCKS - Best price guaranteed! Save up to 70%! FREE delivery in Ontario. Order online at www.supraz2000.com/ontario or by phone Toll-Free 1-877-999-1580.

MOTOR VEHICLE dealers in Ontario MUST be registered with OMVIC. To verify dealer registration or seek help with a complaint, visit www.omvic.on.ca or 1-800-943-6002. If you're buying a vehicle privately, don't become a curbsider's victim. Curbsiders are impostors who pose as private individuals, but are actually in the business of selling stolen or damaged vehicles.

BUSINESS OPPS.

EARN GREAT \$\$\$ Invest 10 hrs/week and build your future. Online trainers needed. Great income. Flexible hours. Free training. Computer and telephone required. www.fromgreen2green.com.

WWW.PREMIERSOLARINC.COM "Your Long Term Solar Partners" - System Sales/Installations/Financing/Dealership. Start Making Money with the 'MicroFIT Program' TODAY! Call Now! Toll-Free 1-877-255-9580.

BE YOUR OWN BOSS with Great Canadian Dollar Store. New franchise opportunities in your area. Call 1-877-388-0123 ext. 229 or visit our website: www.dollarstores.com today.

Energy Drinks = LIQUID PROFITS! Distribute our hot selling, all-Canadian, pro endorsed energy drinks. Exclusive retail/vending opportunity, limited areas. Investment required. Free samples/information package. 1-800-267-2321. Peakdistributors.com.

• It's Affordable • It's Fast • It's Easy • It's Effective • One Bill Does It All • All Ontario \$449 • Regional Ontario or National Packages Available! www.networkclassified.org

yourlifemoments.ca

1-866-541-6757

milestones@yourlifemoments.ca

Marking your milestones.

Obituaries | In Memoriam | Thanks | Births | Celebrations | More

SANDERSON
SINCE 1872


SANDERSON MONUMENT
COMPANY LIMITED

----- SINCE 1872 -----
Five Generations of Excellence

Area Representatives
Steven Hunter
(705) 330-6402
Jack Bartholomew
(705) 448-2245
www.encode.com/sanderson
(800) 461-0282

Funeral Services

HALIBURTON Community FUNERAL HOME
"Providing a Service that respects your wishes"



13523 Highway 118, Haliburton
705.457.9209
www.communityfuneralhomes.com

Funeral Services

Funeral Services

Gordon A. **Monk**
Funeral Home Ltd.
& Pre-planning Centre

"Serving Haliburton and Victoria Counties"

(705) 286-2181
Toll Free 1-888-588-5777
Fax: 705-286-6661
127 Main St., Minden

Representatives for Lons Memorials (visit our on site display) • www.gordonmonkfuneralhome.com

Call for information explaining many of the options available to you.

We can help...

- We offer pre-need and at need packages for cremation, burial and memorial arrangements
- Family and reception centre
- Kids play room
- Bereavement support, services & lending library
- Affordable cost options

Pay your respects... on *yourlifemoments.ca*



yourlifemoments.ca

1-866-541-6757

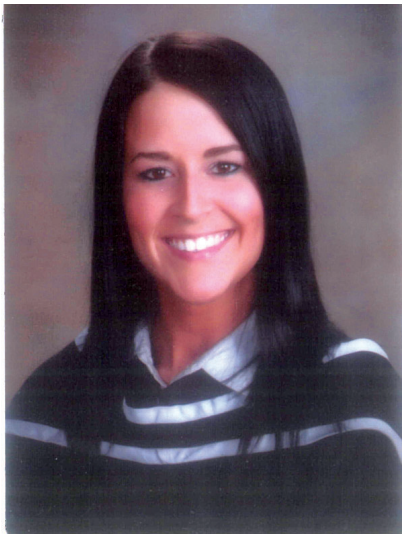
milestones@yourlifemoments.ca

Marking your milestones.

Obituaries | In Memoriam | Thanks | Births | Celebrations | More

Graduations

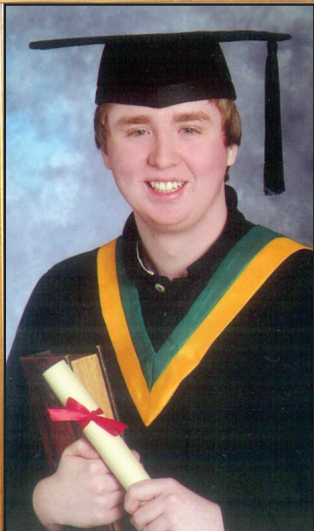
Graduations



We are very happy
to announce the
graduation of
Jade MacInnes
from Queen's University
with a Bachelor of
Education achieving a 4.0
GPA
Best of luck!
**Love Mom, Dad,
Shawn,
Donovan & Buster**



**Congratulations
Nikole Watson**
on graduating from
Trent University with an
Honours Bachelor of Science in
Biology (minor in Psychology)
From proud parents Paul and
Kath Watson and grandparents
Murray and Betty Austin
and Marlene Watson.
Nikole graduated on the
Dean's and President's Honour
Rolls and would like to pursue
a career in cancer research.



Congratulations
Janice & Gordon Ryckman are
extremely happy to announce
the graduation of their son
Shane
Upon completion of his
Paralegal studies from
Sir Sanford Fleming College of
Applied Arts and Technology
on June 5, 2012
We are so proud of you
Love Mom, Dad, Family & Friends



Congratulations
Michael Pentesco
We are proud to announce
his graduation from
Niagara College
Brewmaster & Brewery
Operations Management
All the best as you pursue your
new career at the new Micro
Brewery n Niagara-on-the-Lake.
Love Mom & Dad



We are very happy to
announce the graduation of
Larissa Vassos
From Wilfrid Laurier University with
a Bachelor of Science, Honours
Kinesiology & Physical
Education - with Distinction.
Larissa will be continuing her
education at the University of
British Columbia in the Master of
Physical Therapy program.
We are very proud of you
and love you very much.
**Love Mom, Dad, Alex, Hilary
and your K9 Friends,
Murphy & Pandi**

Commit to the Lord whatever you do, and your plans will succeed (Prov 16:3)

The families of
Roger and Brenda Bain
invite you to celebrate
their
40th Wedding Anniversary
at an open house at
Haliburton Curling Club
on Sunday July 8
from 1-4

Share your moment... on

yourlifemoments.ca



Deaths

Deaths

HALIBURTON
Community
FUNERAL HOME



Hilda Rhynold (Nee Corkum) Formerly of Ingoldsby, Ontario

Suddenly at Extendicare-Haliburton on Wednesday morning, June 27, 2012 in her 88th year. Beloved wife of the late Edward Rhynold (May 2011) for almost 65 years. Loving mother of Wanda (Ken Evans) of West Guilford and Edward Jr. (Norma) of Georgetown. Dear Nan to Glenn (Teresa), Mark (Diane) and Nicole and Amber (John). Lovingly remembered by her great grandchildren Carla (Ryan), Elisa (Steve), Bethany, Kyle, Nelson (Evans), Elwyn, Xaxier, Onyx, Hayley (Rhynold).

Great great-grandson Skyler (Elisa). Dear sister of Lila Rhynold. Predeceased by sisters Stella, Bessie and her brother George. Also lovingly remembered by Joyce (Harley), Audrey (Rob) and many nieces, nephews and friends. Hilda proudly volunteered with the Ingoldsby UCW and the Ladies Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #129, Haliburton. She loved fishing with Eddie, entertaining and laughing with family and friends. She loved life and will be deeply missed by all.

Visitation, Memorial Service & Reception

Friends are invited to call at the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME** 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705)457-9209 on Thursday afternoon, July 5, 2012 from 12 (Noon) until time of the Memorial Service in the Chapel at 1 o'clock. A Reception will follow in The Community Room. As expressions of sympathy donations to the Haliburton Hospital Auxiliary would be appreciated by family

www.communityfuneralhomes.com

Card of thanks

Card of thanks



GORDON Wm. DAVIE

We wish to thank the kind friends of Haliburton, Minden, Lochlin and Ingoldsby who so generously sent messages of sympathy and compassion during Gord's illness and final days. The beautiful tributes of flowers and cards were deeply appreciated.

To the Rev. Harry Morgan and pianist John Menzies and the congregation of Ingoldsby United Church your kindness to us will never be forgotten.

*Marjorie Davie
& family*

The family of **T. Edward "Ted" Deterling** wish to extend a sincere thank you to our friends for your many kindnesses, and for the condolences and support that we have received. To our family who travelled to be with us and share in the remembrance of a life long and well lived, you will always be in our hearts. We also send our gratitude and appreciation to the staff of Hyland Crest Seniors Home for their care and compassion and for making Dad so happy during his stay with you; to Dwaine, Lori and Alex at the Haliburton Community funeral Home for their comfort, assistance and direction but mostly for brining Dad "home" and to Rev. John Smith for travelling to Haliburton for Dad and helping us to say "so long for now".

Say not in grief
"he is no more"
but live in thankfulness that he was.

Sincerely,
Jim & Elizabeth Dunbar, Paddy & Pat Jordens,
John & Susan Deterling, Bruce & Phyllis Gibbs,
Jim & Shirley Deterling and families.

12613220

*Would you Like to Place an
In Memoriam for Your Loved One?*

Our staff will be
pleased to help you.

Call 1-866-541-6757



The
Minden Times

THE
ECHO
HALIBURTON COUNTY

**A word from the wise... Your News! Your Stories!
Your Weekly Community Newspaper!**

SUBSCRIBE TODAY !

Keeping you informed about your Local News & Events

Call Debbie at 705-286-1288

OR Fill out this form and mail it along with your payment to:

The Minden Times, Box 97, Minden, K0M 2K0

or The Haliburton Echo P.O. Box 360, Haliburton Ontario, K0M 1S0

or email to debbie.comer@sunmedia.ca

Name: _____ **LOCAL Within the County**

☐ **12 months @ \$46.00**
(GST included)

Address: _____

OUTSIDE THE COUNTY
☐ **12 months @ \$49.00**
(GST included)

Phone: _____

NATIONAL Outside Ontario
☐ **12 months @ \$61.00**
(GST included)

PAYMENT
PAYMENT IS REQUIRED

☐ **Cheque** Card#: _____
☐ **Visa** Expiry: _____
☐ **Mastercard**



Pay your respects... on

yourlifemoments.ca



North Country Realty Inc., Brokerage
Independently Owned and Operated



Sales Representative *
Broker ** Broker/Manager ***
Ray Jarvis - Broker of Record

Outstanding Agents, Outstanding Results.



IN TOWN HOME  \$209,000 Just on the outskirts of Haliburton Village, sits this 1.5 storey 3 bedroom 2 bathroom home. Very well maintained, offers a newer kitchen, flooring, deck and more. Beautiful living room/dining room combo with high pine cathedral ceilings. Enjoy the evenings on the large walkout deck. Finished rec room in the basement, shows pride of ownership. Call Jeff Wilson at 705-457-8487 or visit www.RealEstate-Haliburton.com	NEW LISTING!  \$249,000 Perfect Price on 12 Mile Lake, 50 ft of frontage, flat lot, year round access, neat and tidy cottage shows pride of ownership. Call Karen at 647-236-9601 or visit www.youronlineagents.com/karenwood	WALK TO TOWN  \$79,000 Walk to town from this spacious 3 bedroom, 1 bath home in the Village of Haliburton. This level lot and main floor bedroom is perfect for a retired couple or enough room for a young family (2 upstairs bedrooms). Newer 12' X 20' garage. Great opportunity for contractor or handy man. Call Deb at 705-457-1011 or visit www.youronlineagents.com/deblambe	BALSAM LAKE  \$599,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over 3,500 square feet including fin walkout bsmt • High end building materials, tastefully finished • 3 bedrooms, 2 other rooms could be bedrooms in bsmt • Beautiful screened custom sunroom overlooking the lake • Secluded location situated beside environmentally protected area Call Vince Duchene at 705-457-0046 or visit www.vinceduchene.ca for a video tour	ALLEN LAKE  \$244,900 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 97' Frontage – Southern exposure • 3 Bedrm, 1 Bath, Bungalow • 768 sq ft., Beautiful view • Great fishing • Seasonal private road Call Team Forget at 705-448-2222 or visit www.haliburtonhighlands-remax.com
HORSESHOE LAKE  \$289,500 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fabulous big lake view and southern exposure. • Three bedrooms, large deck, gazebo. • Large back yard, bunkie, workshop. • Sand beach, two lake chain, Immaculate! Call Bill Kulas at 705-286-2911 ext 444 or visit www.billkulas.com	MINDEN LAKE  \$745,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Custom Built Home • Upgrades +++ throughout • South facing • Close to Minden Call Lynda Litwin at 705-457-8511 or visit www.lyndalitwin.ca	REDSTONE LAKE  \$358,800 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Excellent value • 3 Bedrm, Four Season • Double garage • Clean sand/rock shoreline Call Linda and Troy at 705-455-7653 or visit www.haliburtonrealestate.on.ca	HIGHLAND STREET  \$249,500 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 132' by irregular, .48 acres • 3 + 1 bedrooms, 1/1 bath • 1650 sq ft/2,300 sq ft • Decks/Balcony/Hot Tub Call Fred at 705-286-2911 or visit www.fredchapple.com	GORGEOUS KENNISIS RIVER LOT  \$249,900 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Private, Majestic, 40 Acre River Lot With Driveway Installed and Several Building Sites • Sand & Gravel Shoreline, South Facing View • Mature Hardwood & Evergreen Trees • Boating Access to Gorgeous Red Pine Lake Call Ken and Jacquie at 705-457-1011 or visit www.kenbarry.com
DRAG LAKE  \$749,900 3675 Sq Ft of Open Concept Elegance! Fully Finished Walkout Basement! Peaceful Forest Setting - Just Minutes to Town! Excellent Swimming, Boating & Fishing on this 2 Lake Chain! Call John and Marj at 705-457-1011 or visit www.johnparish.net	CEDAR LAKE  \$325,000 2 Hours from GTA Just bring your bathing suit and food 2 Bedrooms and 2 Bathrooms, includes all furniture, boat, motor and much more! Call Lisa at 705-457-0364 or visit www.lisamercer.ca	HALIBURTON VILLAGE - BRING AN OFFER!  \$185,900 3 bedroom home newer roof, chimney and windows family neighbourhood walk out basement Call Marilyn at 705-457-1011 or visit www.haliburton-cottages.com	TURN KEY ON GRASS LAKE  \$499,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Part of Kashagawigamog 5 lake chain • Open concept • 4 bedrooms • Many recent upgrades Call Greg Metcalfe & Mary-Lou Milligan or visit www.youronlineagents.com/gregandmarylou	ATTENTION HUNTERS AND LOGGERS  \$259,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over 91 Acres surrounded buy Crown Land • Approximately 80 % Hardwood • 2000 Square Ft plus 2 Large Bunk Houses • 30x40 Insulated and heated Quonset Garage Call Doug Farrow Direct 905-925-4972 or visit www.dougfarrow.com
SOUTH LAKE ROAD VACANT LOT  \$30,989 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Great hunting property • 12 plus acre • Yr round access • Driveway in Call Tom and Gail Tempest at 705-286-2911 or visit www.youronlineagents.com/galitempest	BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY  \$44,999 Turnkey, spacious, bright space Haliburton Village Bulk food Variety of products Call Terry at 705-286-2911 or visit www.terrylarr.com	LITTLE REDSTONE LAKE  \$849,900 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South East exposure, 154' sandy frontage, 1.54 Acres • 3000 sq ft Finished living space, Dr well. F/A propane • 3 Bedroom, 3 bath • Pine Kitchen, walkout, winterized, fireplace Call Kennisis Lake Team at 705-754-4242 or visit www.cottagecountryhaliburton.com	WHY RENT?  \$169,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stunning 3 bedroom, 2 bath town home • Has been totally updated, the kitchen has built in stainless steel appliances • Hardwood floor throughout the 2nd level and no expense was spared on the 2 bathrooms • The quality finishing in the house will impress any buyer Call Geoff at 705-286-2911 ext 245 or visit www.haliburtonwaterfront.com	KENNISIS LAKE  \$445,000 170 feet of sand shoreline • Well cared for 3 bedroom home • W/o kitchen to summer porch • W/o living rm. to deck • Fireplace • Main floor laundry • Guest cabin • Heated garage • Beautiful sunsets Call Ted Vasey at 705-457-1011 or visit www.youronlineagents.com/tedvasey

HALIBURTON
191 Highland St.
(705) 457-1011
1-800-465-2984

MINDEN
10 Bobcaygeon Road
(705) 286-2911
1-800-567-1985

WILBERFORCE
2260 Loop Rd.
(705) 448-2222
1-800-461-0378

KENNISIS LAKE
4490 Kennisis Lake Rd.
(705) 754-4242
1-866-787-6002

Linda & Troy

Baumgartner Austen

Broker & Sales Representative



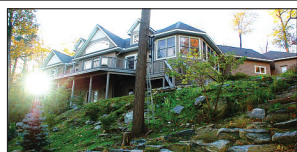
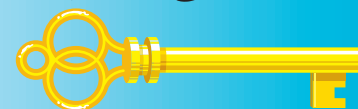
(705) 457-1011 ext. 231 or
455-SOLD (7653)

linda-troy@bellnet.ca

www.haliburtonrealestate.on.ca

HaliburtonRealEstateTeam

*Your Key to
Haliburton Highlands
Real Estate*



KENNISIS LAKE

Beautiful custom built timber frame on West Shore. 3 acres, 200' frtg. Every luxury is here!

\$2,395,000.



HALIBURTON LAKE

14.3 ac family retreat/rental property. Lovely large 2 Sty home plus 5 cabins. 540ft fantastic shoreline. One of a kind!

\$1,100,000.



GUILFORD LAKE

Premium 5br home/cottage, 3870sf, full fin.bsmt.1.94 ac/244' frtg. Beautiful finishings & features.

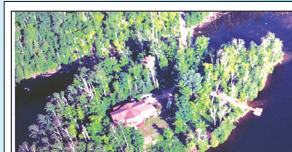
\$899,900.



WENONA LAKE CUSTOM

Stunning cottage or home. Private lot 270' frtg. West exposure. Bunkie for 5. Utmost quality & features. Must be seen!

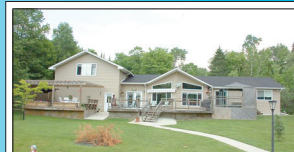
\$849,000.



ESSON LAKE

Unique island property with causeway to access your own Private paradise. Panoramic views. 975ft shoreline, excellent swimming, boating & fishing. 3000sf viceroxy.

\$649,999.



SOYERS LAKE

Tucked away in quiet Bay. Impressive dbl grg/workshop. 5BR home/cottage. All day sun. Load of features!

\$599,000.



KASHAGAWIGAMOG LAKE

Custom built 3 br. Level lot, view west. Vaulted ceiling, 2 fps, recroom Deck, scr porch, dbl att garage. Shows pride of ownership!

\$519,900.



KENNISIS LAKE

390 ft frtg, 1.77 Ac. Very private. Clean, bald rock point. Driveway in

\$489,900.



STUNNING HALIBURTON LAKE

Gorgeous level lot, breathtaking view & sand beach. Home/cottage, boathouse, Bunkie w/ carport&workshop.

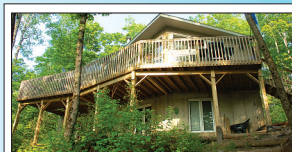
\$469,000.



COMMERCIAL BUILDING

High traffic main st. location. Large building with showroom, dbl garage, Storage area, living quarters, rental unit, & ample parking.

\$469,000.



OTTER LAKE

Peace and tranquility! 8.84 ac lot,379ft on no motor lake. 3+2 bedrooms. Open concept living area, fp, w/o to deck. Full fin w/o basement.

\$469,000.



LITTLE BOSHUNG LAKE

Nestled in mature trees, 1.5 sty home/cottage. Sunny level lot, clean shoreline. Large loft/sgl garage.

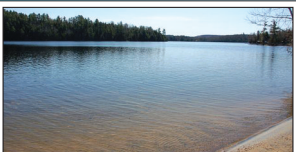
\$444,900 .



HALBIEM HOME

Custom brick home w/docking on the 5 lake chain. Lake view, beautiful lot, 3+1BR, Dbl garage, charming insul.workshop & many more features.

\$394,000.



HALIBURTON LAKE

Prime level lot with 110' rippled sand beach. Older original 3br cottage & 2 storey boathouse.

\$359,900.



REDSTONE LAKE

Great value opportunity! Clean sand/rock shoreline. 3BR, 4 season, sunroom, dbl garage & more!

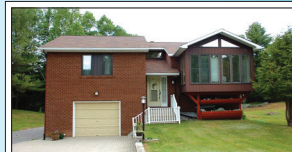
\$358,800.



HALIBURTON LAKE

3BR cottage, full fin bsmt. Fantastic view, lake, & sand beach.

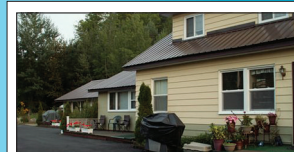
\$339,000.



TED'S LAKE

3br solid brick bungalow in private park-like setting. Sunroom, recroom, fp, att & det garage/workshop.

\$299,900.



RENTAL UNITS

Mid-way Haliburton/Minden 3BR home plus 3 single units To rent out. Great location.

\$279,000.



CONTAU LAKE

Yr rnd use for this cottage/home, garage, bunkie & boathouse.Clean shoreline & great fishing. Nicely treed lot.

\$267,500.



BOYNE LAKE

Privacy assured with 341 ft & 2.47 acre level lot. Custom built home or cottage 3 br/4pc. Spacious livingrm w/ woodstove. Electric/wood cookstove in kitchen. Sunroom.

\$259,900.



TROOPER LAKE

Clean shoreline, pretty lot. Quaint 2BR cottage & bunkie. Use year round. Workshop. Yr Rnd Access.

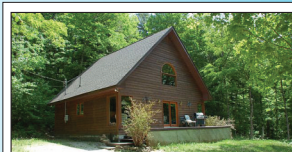
\$247,700.



COUNTY ROAD 21

Mid-way Haliburton/Minden spacious home & 24x24 garage on 5 acre lot.

\$239,900.



GLEN LAKE AREA

3 bedrm Chalet on 3 treed ac w/ pond. Private retreat for cottage or living. Near skiing and lakes.

\$214,900



ENJOY THE OUTDOORS?

2400sf home on 11 ac abuts Crown Land. Madill Rd. Great for the outdoorsman! 2 sunrooms, Det garage/workshop. Nature at your doorstep.

\$198,700



BARRY LINE HOME

Bright n' clean 2BR home. Private lot, park-like setting. Full bsmt w/ recroom. Storage shed/barn/garage.

\$196,000.



GULL RIVER

Charming 2 br home on 1.94 ac. Clean & bright. Full bsmt. Sunroom.

\$179,000.



GULL RIVER

3BR home on 4.5 ac. Full bsmt. Near 1800' lake. Full kitchen, upg. Full basement.

\$179,900.



FEATURE-FULL HOME

R2000 2BR + Xtra Lot! Gooderham. Bright. Full bsmt. Insul Dbl garage, RV hookup, generator panel, alarm system, central air & more.

\$178,800.



EAGLE LAKE ROAD

3BR, level lot, close to West Guilford. Open concept living/kitchen area. Oil heat. Large storage shed & workshop/shed.

\$175,000.



RIVER RETREAT!

Charming 2BR cottage on 15 ac w/riverfront. Off the Grid. Fully insulated, generator/propane, enjoy year round.

\$134,900



North Country Realty Inc.
Brokerage

Independently Owned & Operated

WATERFRONT LOTS & ACREAGES

Hwy118/Jim Beef Lake 140 Ac	\$158,900.	Gull River – 8.8 Acres	\$129,900.
Growler Lake – 56 Acres	\$269,000.	Irondale River – 6.49 Acres	\$39,900.
Growler Lake Lot – 505 ft frontage.....	\$209,000+TX	Sam's Lake – 5 Ac Waterfront	New \$229,000.+TX
Mountain Lake -78 Acres	\$269,900.	Drag Lake 82 Ac	NOW \$450,000.
Kennisis Lake - 1.77 Ac 390'Fr	\$489,900.	Drag Lake 13 Ac	NOW \$410,000.